

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN. BELTON—In this city, on Sunday, Sept. 16, 1900, to Mrs. and Mr. Geo. H. Belton, a daughter. DIED. WRIGHT—In this city, on Monday, Sept. 17, 1900, at his residence, 779 Colborne street, William John Wright, eldest son of the late John Wright, aged 27 years.

Amusements and Lectures

\$10.00—TORONTO TO MONTREAL. Spinning and returns, including meals and berth. F. B. Clark, Richmond street, next Advertiser. MISSIONARY FROM CHINA—REV. J. Endicott will speak in Empress Avenue Church, Wednesday, 19th, at 8 o'clock. Collection. 6:10 P.M. TRAIN. INTERNATIONAL LIMITED, Grand Trunk lands you in New York, 9:33 a.m., Saturday, Lucania, Cunard Line, calls for Liverpool, Saturday, Sept. 22, 2 p.m. Tickets to old country at low rates. F. B. Clark, Richmond street, next Advertiser.

Meetings

WESTERN ONTARIO LIBERAL ASSOCIATION. Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. Geo. W. Ross, and others, will address a Public Meeting LONDON OPERA HOUSE, WEDNESDAY EV'G, SEPT. 19, 1900, at eight o'clock. EVERYBODY WELCOME. W. B. CALVERT, PETER McDONALD, M.P., West Middlesex, M.P., East Huron, Secretary, President. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. 61c

Domestics Wanted

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—REF. REFERENCES required. Mrs. Chisholm, 418 Park avenue. WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL—APPLY 650 Queen's street. WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL OR WOMAN—Good wages. Apply 181 Dundas street. WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSE-MAID. Apply to Mrs. John Lagart, 572 Queen's street. WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—FAMILY of three. Apply 732 Richmond street, London. WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. references required. Apply 571 Dundas street. WANTED—AT ONCE—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Apply Mrs. J. Smith McDougall, 406 Broad street, corner Dundas. WANTED—TODAY—50 COOKS, HOUSE-MAIDS and general help, wages to meet workers. Mrs. Lockhart, 302 Dundas, Phone 954. WANTED—EXPERIENCED COOK—APPLY at once. Address Box 76, this office. 60c

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Wanted

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Bear in mind that the extra you pay for a Nordheimer is nothing compared to the extra value in tone and durability you receive over other Canadian instruments. The Nordheimer Piano & Music Co., Limited. 188 Dundas Street.

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Articles For Sale

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Houses, Etc., To Let

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Real Estate

147 ACRES—72 ACRES GOOD LAND, buildings, fences, orchard and water, lot 9 con. 1, Delaware, one mile from Delaware village. Also 75 acres of the same, on road, near Wood Station; Fred Brantford, Delaware; Henry Brantford, grocer, London. 61c ywt. FOR SALE—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, on Hill street, near Rectory, close to street cars. Apply 135 Hill. 65c ywt. THREE GRANT LAND IN LONDON EAST. Buy a cottage and we will give you a deed for four large lots. 144 ywt. FOR SALE—134 SYDENHAM STREET—Comfortable 1 1/2-story brick house, in good repair; lot 33x165. A bargain. Inquire at 144 ywt. VALUABLE VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR sale—A good stone, dwelling house and barn; all necessary accommodations for business well situated; best locality. For further particulars apply to R. E. Thomas, Appin, Ont. 60c. FOR SALE—TWO DOUBLE ROUGH-CAST cottages, corner Elizabeth street and Fruit street avenue. Apply L. Clark, 288 Rectory street. 50c. Musical Instruction. CHARLES E. WHEELER, ORGANIST St. Andrew's Church, receives pupils in piano, pipe organ, harmony and in singing. 50c ywt. 60c ywt.

Gen. Roberts Going Home

Her Majesty Will Inspect Colonial Volunteers.

Commandant Botha Said to Have Surrendered—Missing Strathconas Join Their Regiment—Illustrations of Canadian Pluck—More Wounded—Father O'Leary Appreciated.

New York, Sept. 18.—A large part of the Rustenburg commando has surrendered, and there are reports that Commandant Botha has given himself up, the London correspondent of the Tribune cables, relative to the South African war.

FATHER O'LEARY. The Countess of Dudley has offered Rev. Father O'Leary, chaplain in the first contingent of Canadians, who has been invalided to England, his choice of a list of houses for his use, or apartments at any hotel in England or abroad, while recruiting his health. Father O'Leary has won golden opinions in South Africa.

LORD ROBERTS' RETURN. London, Sept. 18.—The Petermaritzburg correspondent of the Daily Mail announces that Lord Roberts will start for England about Oct. 3. This time there is little doubt of the genuineness of the report of his early return. Some troops will also be coming back, and the elections will thus be excellently timed by the government to take advantage of the national fever over a successful war.

THE QUEEN AND THE COLONIALS. Representatives of the colonial volunteers in South Africa will visit England on their return, the Queen desiring to inspect them. All the war correspondents who participated in the South African campaign will receive medals in recognition of their services. The Canadian newspapermen, who followed their regiments to the front, will be included in the list.

REITZ WILL EMIGRATE. F. W. Reitz, state secretary of the aboriginal South African Republic, is going to Paris, according to the Pretoria correspondent of the Daily Mail, from which point he will proceed to the United States, where he will probably remain.

KRUGER MUST KEEP QUIET. The Italian government has decided that if President Kruger touches the Italian port he shall be treated simply as a private citizen. This announcement is made in anticipation of Oom Paul sailing from Lorenzo Marques for Europe. The Berlin Voessische Zeitung points out that the singular orders given by the Portuguese government to the governor of Mozambique, authorizing the departure of Mr. Kruger for Europe, permit Mr. Kruger to sail only for European port, adding: "The government, in so doing, goes beyond its powers. Doubtless Lisbon is acting under pressure from Great Britain, but the little hand drove off the Boers, and each man of the C. M. Kruger is going to the United States."

The Canadians

WOUNDED. London, Sept. 18.—It has been reported to the war office that No. 133,

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Night School at the LONDON BUSINESS UNIVERSITY

COMMENCES Wednesday, September 19. W. N. YEREX, B.C., Principal. Higgins' Block, 210 Dundas street. b

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. The partnership heretofore existing between William Mahon and R. H. Patten, hotelkeepers, under the firm name of Mahon & Patten, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Signed, Wm. Mahon, R. H. Patten. London, Sept. 17, 1900. 60c.

Auction Sale

Of Household Furniture and Piano. J. W. Jones has been instructed by Mrs. W. S. Reid to sell at her residence, 791 Richmond street, on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, at 12:30 a.m., her household effects, comprising square Grand Decker Piano, music stand, drawing room suite in odd pieces, easy chairs, card table, mantel, mirror, bric-a-brac, damask and lace curtains, poles and blinds, secretary bookcase, carpets, rugs, center tables, sofas, lounges, pictures, piano lamp, hall stand and chair in oak, gas chandeliers (2 and 2 lights), sideboard, dining table and chairs, dinner and tea sets, silverware, glassware, clock, contents of 4 bedrooms in suites, wardrobe, toiletware, hair mattresses, spring, night commode, bureau, sewing tables, No. 9 range (coal or wood), city gas stove, refrigerator, wringers, wheelbarrow, ladder, coal bins, kitchen utensils, garden tools, etc. Term cash. J. W. JONES, Auctioneer. 60c ywt.

GOOD BISCUIT

The best biscuit, and always the best. No changes—no uncertainties. Every biscuit light, moist, delicious. If you want this certainty on baking day, use 'Purity' Baking Powder. Only 20c Pound.

'Purity' Baking Powder is an absolutely pure cream tartar powder, contains no alum or other deleterious substances.

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The inmates were surprised, and, after a short skirmish, the farmers were disarmed, and between 40 and 50 men were thus rendered powerless.

CAPTURED TWO GUNS. In the meantime, the trail of two guns belonging to the commando was discovered, and the guns were found packed in such a position that the farms in the neighborhood formed a kind of defense in the event of any attempt being made to take them from the direction of Zoutspan Driif. Young and his men, secured a span of oxen, and succeeded in getting the guns up on the road in spite of the enemy, some of whom had not been possible to disarm. Lieut. Young and his men reached the bivouac at 3 o'clock in the morning.

"The whole incident," says Gen. Hutton, "forms a singular and most creditable display of steady courage and cool daring, and steady courage can do nothing could better test the finest qualities in British soldiers than to cut our guns under such circumstances from the very center of the enemy, without the loss of a man or a horse. THE HEROES INCLUDE A LONDON BOY.

The general adds: "Lieut. Young and his small detachment are deserving of the very highest credit for their achievement."

The plucky fellows who took part in this expedition are: Lieut. F. V. Young, Manitoba Dragoons; Sergt. R. H. Ryan, King's Canadian Hussars; Comp. C. E. Cope, Manitoba Dragoons; Pte. J. Keillor, 48th Highlanders; Pte. J. Spence and S. McGregor, Manitoba Dragoons; Sergt. F. Purdon, Duke of York's Own Hussars; Corp. F. Roach, Governor-General's Foot Guards; Pte. L. Wigle (Leamington), and W. Wright (London), 1st Hussars; Pte. H. J. Taylor, 2nd Dragoons; Pte. W. H. Bell, 2nd St. John's Fusiliers; Pte. Beckwick, 63rd Rifles.

CURRENT NEWS

T. O. Bolgor, Kingston's city engineer, died early Monday morning, aged 60 years. He had been in office there for thirteen years.

The C. P. R. Company has decided to enlarge the Chateau Frontenac by adding another division to the structure. The hotel has been crowded all season.

Lieut.-Col. Laird, the United States commissioner of immigration at Quebec, received notice that his predecessor, Mr. Levy, was drowned at Galveston during the recent storm.

The Sanford Manufacturing Company, of Hamilton, has received another large order for eleven thousand overcoats from the India office. The coats are to be sent to China.

D. Macdonald, aged 50, who lived at 25 Bright street, Toronto, died Monday morning, as the result of an accident that occurred a few days ago in the street railway car barn, King street east, when Macdonald fell into the pit.

A two-horse truck belonging to Mr. John Wanamaker backed through the after-gate of a Fulton street ferryboat at New York yesterday, and went to the bottom of the East River, carrying the driver, and, it is thought, a helper also. The boat hands failed to grab the chain when the boat left the slip.

President McKinley has received a message of sympathy on the Galveston disaster from Emperor William of Germany.

Cordelia Trueden, a young French-Canadian girl, got her hair caught in a rolling machine at Montreal, with the result that the scalp was torn completely off her head.

Regarding the fate of Mr. Richard M. Gordon, of Hamilton, there appears to be no doubt that he was drowned on Saturday, when he fell off the yacht Clytie not far from Rochester.

Steamship Arrivals

Sept. 18. At New York. From Laurentian. At Glasgow. From a lady writes: "I was enabled to remove the corns, root and branch, by the use of Holloway's Corn Cure." Others who have tried it have the same experience.

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London, Tuesday, Sept. 18.

Exit Kruger.

Paul Kruger, ex-president of the Transvaal Republic, has at last found it necessary to leave the land that he has ruined, and will now be either practically a prisoner in Portuguese Territory, or a fugitive across the seas.

Paul Kruger has had a marvelous career, and stands out as one of the historical men of the century; his end is certainly pathetic, so that his bitter enemy might spare for him a feeling of sincere sympathy.

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Minnesota editors are telling their readers that Ottawa, which they recently visited in a body, is the most picturesque capital in the world.

Mr. Foster's Second Question. The Quebec Mercury is pained to observe that its Conservative contemporary, the Chronicle, in reporting the big meeting there, devotes all its space to Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Macdonald.

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The Hamilton Spectator heads an article "Eleven New Embalmers." They'll all be needed by the Spec's friends after the next election, if Tupperism hopes are to be preserved from complete decay.

The only sincere declaration that Mr. Hugh John Macdonald ever made and he has made it a thousand times, is that he has no taste for public life.

The average church men have regard to the men with whom they are associated, and from whom they are willing to accept drill in religious affairs.

Be Ready.

There is in the air a feeling of approaching conflict. The Conservative warhorses sniff the battle from afar, and show themselves eager for the fray.

No doubt we are all subject to what is called "the personal equation," that is, we are likely to look at things from our personal position and prospects.

The great thing, then, is to be ready, so that when the word goes forth for the battle to begin, it may be carried to a clean, clear, successful issue.

The moment Mr. Clarke Wallace, at the Newtonville out-door meeting, began to attack Mr. Tarte, down poured the rain in a deluge that cut him short, a sadder and a wetter man.

Speed the Opposition pilgrims on their way! Let the wind blow and the storm rage! Let Sir Charles Tupper prophesy, and Mr. Foster analyze, and Mr. Macdonald eat his straw Tarte before the curtain!

Laurier Too British for Tupper. At the convention of Muskoka and Parry Sound Liberals that met at Emsdale, and nominated R. J. Watson for the Dominion House, the following resolution, among others, was passed:

Big Wind is the title by which Sir Charles Tupper is known to the Indians. They are barking up the wrong tree. The manufacturers, who are doing well now, do not want the tariff raised again, thus insuring for themselves a new grip of home competitors.

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Unfounded Charges.

We occasionally see references in the speeches of Opposition orators to the purchase of the Drummond County Railway, as a link in the extension of the Intercolonial Railway from its terminus in the country near Levis to Montreal, the commercial metropolis of Canada.

"Of course you are aware that in the press and in the House it was charged that the Government collected, as well as certain individual members of the Government, were guilty of corruption in connection with the purchase of this road.

"The Chairman—I suppose you read what was said in the press." "Mr. Powell—Candidly, I never heard anything in the House about corruption.

"Mr. Haggart—Sir Louis Davies in a speech in Toronto said that there would be an inquiry into the circumstances of the Drummond County Railway, and I think he said that it would be found after investigation that some of his opponents would be up to the neck in the mire.

In view of these disclaimers by leading members of the Opposition, who were on the committee, and who had every opportunity given them to get at the bottom facts, how can any politician stand up and seriously argue that the extension of the Intercolonial was accomplished by corrupt means, and that Hon. Mr. Blair ought to be condemned in consequence?

The Empress Dowager of China is not the man she thought she was.—Goderich Signal.

We believe it to be incorrect that Sir Charles Tupper claims to have made the mountains, but only the sea and all that therein is.

Think It Over.

Are you richer than you were under the National Policy? Are you getting better wages? Has your business improved? Have you more constant employment?

Have the relations of Canada with the empire improved? Has there been enhancement of Canada's prestige with foreign nations? Is there more comfort on the farms, more growth in the towns, more prosperity in the cities?

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LADIES' MANTLES

- Ladies' Kersey Cloth Mantles, in shades of castor, blue and black, double-breasted, silk lined, pearl buttons. Special value.....\$4 90
Ladies' Kersey Cloth Mantles, in black, tawn and castor, handsomely lined, pearl buttons and stitching. Special at.....\$6 50
Ladies' Kersey Cloth Mantle, in black, blue and fawn, silk velvet collar, pearl buttons, silk lined, 19 inches long, very natty. Special at.....\$10 00
Ladies' Mantles, in black and blue Kersey Cloth, extra quality, lined with white silk and trimmed with white silk stitching. Special.....\$12 50

- Ladies' Mantles in pearly gray and fawn Kersey Cloth, prettily lined with satin.....\$20 00
Ladies' Mantles, in black and curly cloth, lined with silk, large pearl buttons. Special.....\$5 00
Ladies' Mantles, in black curly cloth, lined with fancy checked satin, trimmed with strapings of Kersey Cloth, pearl buttons. Special.....\$6 50
Golf Capes and Rugs in the very newest designs and colorings. Special value at from \$5 to.....\$12 50
Magnificent range of Fur Jackets, in Electric Seal, Persian Lamb, Gray Lamb and Bokharan Lamb; also Fur Capelines and Ruffs in all the new designs.

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\$12.50---EXTRA SPECIAL---\$12.50

The clearing out of a Manufacturers' Stock Lot places us in a position to offer a very handsome suit in Check Tweeds, jacket double breasted, handsomely lined, skirt lined, made with double inverted pleat and nine rows stitching around the bottom; worth \$15 to \$18 50. For, only while they last, \$12 50.

Suit \$7 90

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, in green and blue Homespun Mixtures, jacket fly front, lined throughout, and skirt made with inverted pleated back. Special.....\$ 7 90

Suit \$9 00

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, in black and brown Homespun, coat double breasted and handsomely lined, inverted pleated skirt. Special.....\$ 9 00

Suit \$17 50

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suit, in Oxford Gray Homespun, Eton jacket, silk lined, both skirt and jacket trimmed with taffeta silk bands, newest style. Special.....\$17 50

Suit \$19 75

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suit, in blue Cheviot, jacket lined with silk, both skirt and jacket trimmed with black silk soutashe braid, newest styles.....\$19 75

FALL SUITINGS

We specify today some lines of the Best Material for Fall and Winter wear. Prices are moderate, but goods of superior value, and the styles that are chosen by Fashion's originators.

- 44-inch Sedan Cloth Suiting, all wool, Venetian finish, in all the leading fall shades. Per yard..... 60c
52-inch Ladies' Cloth Suiting, broadcloth finish, good weight for jacket and skirt, in blues, browns, castor, green, cardinal, petunia and black. Per yard..... 95c
46-inch Cheviot Suitings, all wool, heavy soft twill Homespun finish, for stylish suits or odd skirt, in browns, blues, castors and black. Per yard..... 75c

- 52-inch Cheviot Suitings, heavy, all wool, in dark, rich shades for autumn wear—browns, castors, garnet, navy and black. Per yard..... 95c
56-inch Amazon Suitings, satin finish, all wool, very solid cloth, good weight for tailor-made suits, in navy, garnet, brown, green and black. Per yard..... \$1 25
54-inch Amazon Cloth Suiting, camel's hair finish, all wool, in castors, blues, grays, greens and brown, in heather mixed surface, beautiful effects for fall suits. Per yard..... \$1 20
52-inch Broadcloth Suiting in heavy, light finish, in navy, brown, castor, fawn, garnet and black, very stylish and the correct cloth for dressy suits. Per yard..... \$1 50

Waist and Dressing Sacque Materials

- French Flannels in plain colors, 27 inches wide, cardinal, helio, pink, coral, crimson, black, gray, etc. Special, per yard..... 35c and 50c
French Flannels in spots and stripes, turquoise, pink, blue, navy and cardinal, 27 inches wide. Special, per yard..... 50c

- French Flannels in Paisley and mottled effects, assorted colors, beautiful goods, 27 inches wide. Special, per yard..... 50c
German Box Cloths, 45 inches wide, in fawn, gray, blue, reseda, very natty goods, plain grounds, with snowflake spots, 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 yards required for waist. Special, per yard..... \$1 25

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208, 210, 210 1/2, 212 Dundas Street.

SUFFOCATED TO DEATH

Fatal Fire in a Salvation Army Nursery.

Women and Children Perish—A Rescuer Among the Victims.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 18.—An old four-story tenement building at 463 East Front street, used as a branch nursery of the Salvation Army, was burned last evening, and its occupants were so imprisoned that five were suffocated to death and others seriously injured.

On account of the cold weather today a fire had been started in the stove for the little tots who are cared for there during the day while their mothers are engaged at work elsewhere. Most of the mothers knew nothing of the calamity until they were through with their day's work.

TO MOTHERS: Medical Statistics reveal the startling fact that one-third of all the children born, die before they are two years old, and three-fourths of these perish unnecessarily as a consequence of neglect or ignorance of mothers. Most infants are over-fed, and then physiced and doctored to death, or opiated, sleeping potions, and either strong stimulants or sedatives are given. Instead of milder, safer means of cure. Send for and read our cloth bound book "MOTHERHOOD," an invaluable work on the care of infants in health and disease. Mailed free for 10 cents postage. IT MAY SAVE YOUR BABY'S LIFE. If Baby Suffers the Torments of Teething, Wind Colic, Nerves, Bowel Complaints, Inflamed Gums, Fever, Sour Stomach, Restlessness, GIVE DR. HAMMOND-HALL'S ENGLISH TEETHING SYRUP. It Comforts Orying Children Without Opiates or any dangerous stupefying drug. POSITIVELY PREVENTS CHOLERA-INTANTUM. Approved by the Best Physicians. IT HAS THE LARGEST SALE IN THE WORLD. BRITISH CHEMISTS COMPANY, 94-100 LONDON, ENG. NEW YORK. TORONTO.

until many had died from suffocation, and others were seriously burned. The fire occurred near the river front, the most densely populated part of the city. The nursery is near the old Spencer House, and children from that tenement were in the burned building. Capt. Lodge was suffocated while carrying children from the third floor. John Hawkins lost his life while endeavoring to save his children. The children were in charge of Staff Captains Erickson and Erson, and McKenzie, who conducted a kindergarten for the little ones while their mothers were "working out."

Constipation Hood's Pills Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

THE MARKETS

Local Market. London, Tuesday, Sept. 18. A small attendance was noted on the market this morning, and in most lines business was slow.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT. London, Tuesday, Sept. 18. Wheat, white, per bu. 60c to 62c. Oats, per bu. 25 1/2c to 30 1/2c.

Table with columns for various commodities like Wheat, Oats, Peas, Barley, Rye, etc., and their prices.

Wheat was scarce today and the demand steady. No change in price. Oats—Quite a lot came in today.

Provisions. Bacon, per lb. 12 1/2c to 13c. Beef, per lb. 8c to 9c.

Table with columns for various commodities like Eggs, Butter, Lard, etc., and their prices.

IT'S TIME to make your own Bread again. Buy your FLOUR at HAMILTON'S, Talbot Street.

St. Thomas Market. St. Thomas, Sept. 15.—Wheat, old, per bu. 55c; wheat, new, 55c; oats, 23c.

The Oil Market. PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 18.—Oil opened at 1 1/2.

Table with columns for various commodities like Wheat, Corn, etc., and their prices.

AMERICAN MARKETS. CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Unfavorable climatic conditions in the Northwest furnished the bull motive today.

AN END TO BILIOUS HEADACHE.—Biliousness, which is caused by excessive bile in the stomach, has a marked effect upon the nerves, and often manifests itself by severe headache.

Minneapolis and Duluth reported 734 cars, against 891 last week and 1,452 a year ago.

RECEIPTS—Flour, 24,000 barrels; wheat, 23,000 bushels; corn, 20,000 bushels; oats, 27,000 bushels.

Live Stock Markets. EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Cattle—The total sales of cattle were 240 loads.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Beef—Receipts, 12,122; choice steers steady; others slow and a shade lower.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; good to prime steers, \$5 50 to \$5 85.

MONTREAL, Sept. 17.—Cattle, 10c to 11c. Butter—Townships, 13c to 20c; western, 16c to 17c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Butter firm; creamery, 16 1/2c to 21c; factory, 14c to 16 1/2c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Butter slow; creamery, 16 1/2c to 20 1/2c; dairies, 14c to 18c.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 17.—Cheese—77 lots, 6,445 boxes; large and small all sold at 10 1/2c.

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WALDERSEE AT HONG KONG

Arrival of the International Commander.

The Powers Said to Have Come to an Understanding Regarding the Government of China—Disaster to a British Fatigue Party.

Hong Kong, Sept. 18.—The German steamer Sachsen, having on board Field Marshal Count Von Waldersee, commander-in-chief of the international forces in China, has arrived here.

London, Tuesday, Sept. 18.—The Daily Graphic asserts that all the powers have accepted Li Hung Chang and will probably accept Prince Ching as negotiators.

CHINESE TROOPS GATHER. Troops in large numbers are gathering from all parts of China at Sian Fu, which has been chosen as the permanent residence of the imperial house.

RUSSIA'S POLICY. The Berliner Tageblatt prints an interview with Baron De Chaprowitzki, first secretary of the Russian embassy in Berlin, which reports him as having said: "I am fully convinced that Russia will adhere to her position."

IN ACCORD. New York, Sept. 17.—A Paris dispatch to the Times says an important official of the German foreign office now in Paris says that it will soon be generally recognized that Germany, Great Britain and Japan are in accord as to the policy to be followed in China.

DOUBLY TRAGIC. Man Frightens His Wife to Death Then Kills Himself with a Pin. Chicago, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Florence Buehler died at the county hospital last evening from shock as the result of her husband's frightening her.

TORNADO IN NEVADA. Eureka, Nev., Sept. 18.—Hamilton, a town of 300 people, fourteen miles north of here, has been visited by a small tornado, and a number of buildings have been destroyed.

Together

Bulk of Pennsylvania Miners Pull One Way.

Philadelphia, Sept. 18.—If, as President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, claimed last night, 112,000 of the 141,000 mine workers in the Pennsylvania coal fields were idle yesterday, it is certain that this number has been considerably augmented today.

MINERS STICK TOGETHER. Hazelton, Pa., Sept. 18.—The second day of the anthracite coal miners' strike began very quietly in this district.

IN WYOMING VALLEY. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 18.—There was no change in the strike situation in the Wyoming Valley this morning.

THE BRAMPTON MEETING. Brampton, Sept. 17.—Hon. Hugh John Macdonald, N. Clarke Wallace, M.P., and Mr. W. F. Maclean, M.P., addressed a large meeting in the skating rink last night.

ONE EXCEPTION. The colliery at Mocaqua, operated by the West End Coal Company, which was in operation yesterday, started up this morning with a full force of men.

STEEL WORKS RESUME. Oswego, N. Y., Sept. 18.—The miners' strike in Pennsylvania threatens Oswego, N. Y., with a coal famine.

Farm Laborers Wanted. Manfarma is in need of 1,000 farm laborers, and the C. P. R. will run an excursion on Thursday of this week.

TO CURE A GOLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

POLITICAL POINTS

Chilly Day for the Guelph Conservative Gathering.

Sir Charles Has Lost Little of His Lung Power—A Somewhat Disappointing Affair.

CONSERVATIVE LEADERS AT GUELPH. Guelph, Sept. 17.—Coinciding with the visit of Sir Charles Tupper and his traveling companions here today came a change in the weather.

SHUT OUT. It was a mistake to unduly prolong the meeting on such a raw, wintry day.

THE WINDUP. It was nearly 5 o'clock when Mr. Foster's turn came, and the throng by that time was considerably thinned out.

MR. PUTTIE PUT UP. Winnipeg, Sept. 17.—At a meeting of the Winnipeg Independent Labor party last night, Mr. A. W. Puttie, the present member of the Dominion, was unanimously nominated to contest the seat for the Dominion.

NOTES. At a convention at Revelstoke Mr. A. H. MacNeill, barrister, of Rossland, was nominated as the Conservative candidate for Yale-Cariboo.

A POPULAR APPOINTMENT. Dr. Trenholme Made Professor of English Literature and History at the Western University.

Another Cyclone. New York, Sept. 18.—A tropical cyclone is central near the Bermuda Islands, the correspondent of the Herald at St. David's telegraphs.

ANOTHER DEATH FROM PLAGUE

Sudden Demise of a Victim Stricken on Monday.

The British Elections—Duke and Duchess of York to Visit Australia. DIED OF THE PLAGUE. Glasgow, Sept. 18.—One of the four members of the family reported yesterday to have been stricken with the plague has since died.

GOVERNMENT'S ADVANTAGE. Processes are as rapid here as they are in the United States, and when the government of the day is bent upon hustling, there is the quickest possible transit from one parliament to another.

CABINET CHANGES PREDICTED. The Conservative organs are confident that the khaki issue will give them an increased majority, and they are naturally jubilant.

ROYAL VISIT TO AUSTRALIA. London, Sept. 18.—It is officially announced that the Duke and Duchess of York will shortly visit Australia.

Rheumatic pains disappear like a fog before the wind when Griffiths' Menthol Liniment is used. It banishes all kinds of pain instantly.

Only "Half Baked." That very accurately describes the flavor of the Rolled Wheat which was not made by the right process.

Molina Rolled Wheat, like "Pan-Dried" Oats, is "Pan-Dried" also. It has the crispness of a biscuit done to a turn. Half baked food is hard to digest. It is worth while to ask your grocer for MOLINA made by TILLSON.

Another Cyclone. On Its Way From the Bermuda Islands—Heavy Rollers Comb the Coast. New York, Sept. 18.—A tropical cyclone is central near the Bermuda Islands, the correspondent of the Herald at St. David's telegraphs.

F. H. BUTLER, STOCK BROKER

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or on margin. Send for prospect manual. Long distance Phone, 1275. OFFICES—Toronto House, London.

TODAY'S MARKETS

New York Stocks

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Anaconda, Atchafalaya, B. & O., etc.

Chicago Stock Market

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Wheat, Corn, etc.

Montreal Stock Market

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price, Change. Includes Canadian Pacific, etc.

English Markets

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Includes Wheat, Flour, etc.

Toronto Produce Market

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Includes Wheat, Flour, etc.

American Markets

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Flour—Receipts, 86,289 bbls; sales, 8,400 pkgs; state and western market firmly sustained, despite the drop in wheat, but lacked demand; Minnesota patents, \$115 to \$140; do, bakers, \$2.75 to \$3.30; 1 1/2 four—Dull; choice to fancy, \$3.30 to \$3.65. Wheat—Receipts, 124,125 bu; sales, 1,350,000 bu; options moderately active and somewhat easier through disappointing cables, absence of rain in the Northwest and local unloading; Sept., 81 1/2; Oct., 81 1/2; Dec., 82 1/2; Rye—Firm; state, 54c to 56c, c.l.f., New York; western, 52c; Corn—Receipts, 91,425 bu; sales, 100,000 bu; options eased off a little on large Chicago receipts, the decline in wheat and lower cables; Dec., 41.5-16c to 41 1/2c; May, 40 1/2c to 41c. Cattle—Butter—Receipts, 10,482 pkgs; strong. Cheese—Receipts, 15,551 pkgs; firm; large white, 11c; small white, 11c; large colored, 11c to 11 1/2c; small colored, 11 1/2c. Eggs—Receipts, 12,355 pkgs; western, 35c; receipts, 35c. Coffee—Dull and easy; No. 7 Rio, 7 1/2c. Tallow—Steady; city hogheads, 4 1/2c. Lead—Dull. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

Buffalo, Sept. 18.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 84 1/2c; winter white and red, 76 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 46c; No. 3 yellow, 45c; No. 2 corn, 45 1/2c; No. 3 corn, 45 1/2c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 26 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 26c.

DETROIT, Sept. 18.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 76 1/2c; No. 2 red, cash, 73 1/2c; Sept., 73 1/2c; Oct., 74 1/2c; Dec., 81 1/2c.

TOLEDO, Sept. 18.—Wheat—Cash, 79 1/2c; Sept., 79 1/2c; Oct., 79 1/2c; Dec., 82c. Corn—Sept., 42 1/2c; Dec., 34 1/2c. Oats—Sept., 22 1/2c; Dec., 23 1/2c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker, Telephone 1275.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, etc.

Strong's Drug Store

—FOR PURITY, —ACCURACY AND —DISPATCH, TELEPHONE 55

W. T. STRONG & CO.

Dispensing Chemists, 104 Dundas St., London.

HORRIFIED CROWD

Saw a Young Man Pulled From Under a Dundas Street Car—A Close Call.

A young man named Robert Adams, whose home is at 1,035 Laura street, East London, had an escape from serious injury, if not death, this morning, that brought exclamations of terror to the lips of onlookers.

AT ST. ANDREW'S

The Marriage of Mr. Bert Heaman and Miss Gertrude Gillean Solemnized This Morning.

A decidedly pretty wedding was that of Mr. Albert McL. Heaman and Miss Gertrude Gillean, which was solemnized in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

EVERY GERMAN CAVALRY REGIMENT IS NOW SUPPLIED WITH TWO BOATS MADE OF WATERPROOF CANVAS, WHICH, WHEN NOT IN USE, CAN BE FOLDED UP.

THE CANADIAN P. O. STORE

Lunch Bacon, Cooked Hams, Lard, Bologna, in choice quality.

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Phone 908, 145 Richmond Street.

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours for the lower lakes region: Fine and cool. Wednesday—Easterly winds; stationary or slightly higher temperature.

The Big Meeting.

Sir Richard Cartwright, minister of trade and commerce, who is to be chief speaker at the big Liberal meeting in the London Opera House tomorrow night, will arrive at 5:40 in the afternoon, via G. T. R., and will be the guest of Mr. C. S. Hyman while in the city. The meeting is for the Liberals of the western district, and delegations are expected from many surrounding places.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Mr. M. Masuret, city, is in Toronto. —Mrs. Frank B. Whiting, Horton street, left this morning, via the C. P. R., for Golden, B. C.

—Mr. George Fox has taken out a building permit for two one-and-a-half story brick houses on Grosvenor street, east of Wellington.

—Mr. J. P. Hunt, artist, city, is in attendance at the big East Elgin Fair, at Ayler today. He is engaged in judging in the fine arts department.

—Miss Blanche Crawford, of Willoughby, Ont., has returned home after a month's visit with Miss Maude Garfat, 572 Pall Mall street.

—Mr. John Paul, local agent of all goods sent to the relief of the Galveston sufferers will be carried free.

—At this morning's juvenile court two bad boys of youthful years were sentenced to the reformatory for a term not less than one year nor more than five.

—Government Detective John Murray is in the city. He has been in the Thomas, working up the case against Bradstreet, the Buffalo crook, accused of burglary in St. Thomas.

—R. W. and Mrs. McDaniel have returned from Detroit, accompanied by their niece, Miss Mary Wherry, daughter of the late Alex. Wherry, inspector of public schools, Peterboro, Ont.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. Lawrence, of Banora, have returned home after spending a couple of weeks with the latter's parents at 565 Dufferin avenue. While here Mr. Lawrence purchased one of Mr. J. P. Hunt's handsome prize raffles, exhibited at the Western Fair.

The French ministry of war announces that news has been received of fighting between the troops forming a French Saharan outpost, near Timbuktu, and the Berber tribesmen. The French force fought two engagements, and lost 26 men killed and wounded, including two officers killed.

The Medical School in connection with the Western University opened this morning with nearly 40 pupils in attendance, of whom nearly 20 were freshmen. This number will be largely increased in a few days. The students missed the old janitor, Frederick Cannon, and in his stead they note the acquaintance of his successor, John Ash.

About 11 o'clock this morning Dr. A. Graham left his horse standing near the corner of William and Bathurst streets, in charge of a 14-year-old boy, and in a few minutes the horse, before stopping it ran into an obstruction and seriously injured itself, being badly dismembered. The animal will probably die.

The Ontario Christian Endeavor convention will be held at Guelph, Oct. 2, 3, 4, 1907. The Royal City will extend open-handed hospitality to Ontario's Endeavorers, and the young people of all denominations are looking forward with pleasure to the great meeting. Among the prominent speakers in attendance will be Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, of Topeka, Kansas, author of "In His Steps"; Wm. Shaw, treasurer of the United Society of Christian Endeavorers, and many others of note. A number of delegates from this city will attend.

Services of special interest will be held in St. Andrew's church tonight, when Miss Carrie Gunn, of this city, who has been appointed to labor among the Chinese women in British Columbia, will be designated. Miss Gunn, who is a daughter of Mr. A. M. Gunn, city, will go as an assistant to St. Andrew's, Boston.

CLEANED UP AND QUIET. Shamokin, Pa., Sept. 18.—About 20 per cent of the men who worked at Mount Carmel yesterday joined the strikers this morning, having cleaned up their work. The indications are that all the miners there will be tied up.

A CLEAN SWEEP. Scranton, Pa., Sept. 18.—Scarcely 100 men and boys are at work throughout the entire valley, 35 miles long, from Pittston to Forest City.

Telegraphic Briefs. The Duke of Manchester has signed his consent to be adjudicated a bankrupt.

Lord Minto reached Calgary Monday and was tendered a reception at the opera house.

A number of special police and detectives are looking after the safety of Premier Salisbury.

The states general (parliament of the Netherlands) was opened today (Tuesday) by Queen Wilhelmina.

David Cronin, of Vernon, N. Y., was found drowned in the canal at Rome, N. Y., today (Tuesday). His horse and buggy were fished out at the same time.

The schooner Annie S. B. of Halifax, for Bay St. George, Newfoundland, was wrecked near the latter port, vessel and cargo a total loss. Jas. Butler was drowned. An unknown schooner has been lost with all hands off Sealharbour.

A well-dressed man, apparently prosperous, committed suicide in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York, last night, by shooting himself through the head. He is believed to have been John C. Hayes, of that city.

Preliminary statements from the sub-committee of the Greater New York charter commission indicate that the charter now in force will be greatly altered and that more than 3,000 offices will be abolished.

WORMS DERANGE the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator deranges worms, and gives rest to the sufferer. It only costs 25 cents to try it and be convinced.

Perfect Vision

The proof of the fitting is in the seeing. Our glasses perfect vision, and the large assortment carried enables us to scientifically fit every case. Eyes are tested free.

A. J. LOGAN, Phm. B., DRUGGIST AND OPTICIAN, 268 Dundas Street, W. Y. W.

tion that the accused do not offend again. The case of Wm. Morrow, charged with fraud by Contractor Grant, was adjourned for a week.

Mary Ann Dum, charged with stealing 50 cents and a box of ointment from a Richmond street druggist, was found guilty and sentence suspended.

Two first-time drunks, a man and a woman, were allowed.

During the active progress of the war in South Africa, the citizens of London, in common with those of other Canadian cities, were greatly indebted to Frederick Hamilton, the Globe's able war correspondent, whose news was always the most readable and generally the earliest to reach Canada. His famous "scop" about the battle of Paardeberg was a particularly brilliant achievement, by which luster was added to his own reputation and the Globe's prestige as the leader of Canadian journalism, considerably strengthened. Tonight, at the London Opera House, Londoners, will be able to see and hear this man, who, as the historian of Canada's first contingent shared the best of the war, and the life with the best of the Canadian Canadian cities. There should be no empty seats.

FIGHTING ON THE FRONTIER

Hot Work is in Progress at Komatiport.

British Striking at Boers' Base of Supplies—French Captures 50 More Locomotives.

London, Sept. 18.—Lord Roberts reports from Machadodorp under date of Monday, Sept. 17, that a few minor skirmishes have taken place between the British troops and the Boers. He adds that Gen. French has captured 50 locomotives in addition to the 43 engines and other rolling stock which he took when he occupied Barberton, on Sept. 13, and that Gen. Steynson was expected to occupy Nelspruit during the afternoon of Sept. 17.

FIGHTING AT KOMATIPOORT. Lorenzo Marquez, Sept. 18.—Fighting is proceeding at Komatiport. All the available men have been sent to the frontier. It is expected that Komatiport bridge will be destroyed. There is great uneasiness here.

THE SCENE OF CONFLICT. Komatiport is a town on the frontier of the Transvaal, and on the railroad leading from Pretoria to Portuguese territory. It is about 60 miles from Lorenzo Marquez. With the occupation of Komatiport by the British, the Boers cut off all supplies reaching the Boers by railroad from Portuguese territory.

The Miners' Strike.

AN ISOLATED BAND. One little band of miners in the Wyoming Valley, those of the West End Coal Company, at Moccasin, near the town of a few hundred men, stand out prominently as the only men at work out of nearly 9,000 in the Lackawanna and Wyoming region. They say they have always been treated kindly, and they have no grievances.

FOR \$2,000,000

Failure of the Well Known New York Brokers, Hatch & Foote.

New York, Sept. 18.—The announcement is made on the stock exchange today of the suspension of Hatch & Foote. Mr. Daniel E. Hatch, senior partner, without the knowledge of the firm for several years, and lost over \$2,000,000. The weight an dthe strain have broken him down. He has been crazy for three weeks, and is expected to live the day out. I thought it best to stop business in order to clear matters up." Mr. Hatch stated that the liabilities of the firm would not exceed \$2,000,000. The assets, he thought, would be about that.

The Fall Fairs.

Central, Ottawa, Sept. 14-22. Southern, Brantford, Sept. 15-20. South Huron, Exeter, Sept. 17-19. North Huron, Sept. 17-19. Stephen and Usborne, Exeter, Sept. 17-19. W. Middlesex, Stratford, Sept. 17-19. North Waterloo, Berlin, Sept. 18-19. Northwestern, Goderich, Sept. 18-19. North York, Wainwright, Sept. 18-19. S. Wallace, Listowel, Sept. 18-19. E. Elgin, Aylmer, Sept. 18-20. Central, Guelph, Sept. 18-20. Great Northern, Collingwood, Sept. 18-20.

Hay Ag. Soc., Zurich, Sept. 19-20. Northern, Ailsa Craig, Sept. 20-21. Clinton Township, Sept. 20-21. E. Lambton, Watford, Sept. 21-22. N. Wallace, Paterson, Sept. 25-26. Mosa and Ekfild, Glenora, Sept. 25-26. Forest Hill, and U. Ag. Soc., Forest, Sept. 25-26.

Petrolia and Enniskillen, at Petrolia, Sept. 25-26. North Perth, Stratford, Sept. 25-26. N. Brant, Paris, Sept. 25-26. Southwestern, Essex, Sept. 25-26. Amabel and Alsbearie, Wainwright, Sept. 25-27. Fullerton and Logan, Mitchell, Sept. 25-27. Westminster Ag. Soc., Lambton, Sept. 25-27. Northwestern, Wingham, Sept. 27-28. North Bruce, Port Elgin, Sept. 27-28. Turnberry, Wingham, Sept. 27-28. Mornington, Milverton, Sept. 27-28. Springfield and South Dorchester, at Springfield, Sept. 28, 29. Camden, Dresden, Oct. 2-3. South Waterloo, Galt, Oct. 2-3. North Dorchester, Oct. 3-4. West Nisouri, Ag. Soc., Oct. 3-4. E. Huron, Brussels, Oct. 4-5. Kincardine, Oct. 4 and 5. London Township, Oct. 5. Euphemia and Dawn, at Florence, Oct. 5 and 6. East Nisouri, Thamesford, Oct. 9. Caradoc, at Mount Brydges, Oct. 9-10. West Nisouri, Ag. Soc., Oct. 10. Delaware, Oct. 10. W. Kent, Chatham, Oct. 9-11. Caledonia, Caledonia, Oct. 11-12. North Norwich, Norwich, Oct. 12-13. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Owen Sound, Owen Sound, Oct. 16-18. Norfolk Union, Simcoe, Oct. 16-18. Moraviantown (Indian), Oct. 15-19. Secretaries of Western Ontario Fair Associations are invited to send the dates of their local fairs to The Advertiser.

Special Prices for the Week

Bailey's Planes, Disston's Saws, All Kinds Carpenters' Tools.

Royal American and Royal Canadian Wringers at each.....\$2 50 Washing Machines, each.....\$3 00 to \$4 50 Carpet Sweepers, each.....\$2 00 to \$3 00 ROGERS' "1847" KNIVES, FORKS AND SPOONS.

COWAN'S HARDWARE, 127 Dundas Street, London.

AT GALVESTON Eyes Tiring Easily Prove Eyestrain.

The Situation Continues to Improve. Supplies and Money Pouring In—Change in the Shore Line—5,300,000 Square Feet of Ground Gone.

Galveston, Sept. 18.—"The situation continues to improve," is what one is told now when one applies at any of the various headquarters for information. The work has been brought down to a business basis as far as possible. Supplies and money are now pouring in from all over the country. It is stated that at least seven figures are needed to express the amount of cash so far received. This is being used judiciously.

The opinion is general that the number of deaths will be about 6,000. The exact number, of course, will never be definitely known, but there are no delusions. This would lead to the belief that the estimate of a property loss of \$25,500,000 is too high. The people are becoming more cheerful every day, and everybody seems to be doing all there is to do toward ultimate rehabilitation.

SHORE LINE CHANGED. The residents of Galveston are plucky in the extreme in their determination to rebuild and make Galveston a greater and better city than it has ever been before, but for the time being at least they have suffered a loss that is at least a temporary one. The extent of territory wrested from them by the storm. The waters of the gulf now cover about 5,300,000 square feet of ground that was formerly a part of Galveston. This loss has been suffered entirely on the south side of the city, where the finest residences were built, facing the gulf, and where land was held at a higher valuation than any other part of the city with the exception of the business district. For three miles along the shore of the gulf this choice residence property extended, but this storm line was so changed by the storm that at low tide the water is 350 higher along the entire three miles. In the eastern part of the city there are places where 350 feet is less than the actual amount of ground taken from the city. It is a fair estimate, however, for the entire city. The foundation of the Beach Hotel now stands in the water. Before the storm there was a beach in front of the hotel site nearly 400 feet wide.

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DECLINE OF THE WHEEL

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There should be no surprise over the decline in the popularity of the bicycle, as indicated by the record of visitors to Fairmount Park. During last month only 40,657 bicycles entered the park, while the number for August of last year was 94,783. This great diminution is not due to any fault of the wheel, which has been improved with each year, but to the pressure-seeking American. The people of this country look to the bicycle like a starved dog to a bone.

In his new enthusiasm a preacher declared that the Creator had made a mistake in not bringing man into the world ready equipped with rubber-tired wheels. For a few years the chief object of most earnest lives was to acquire a \$100 bicycle or to master its eccentricities. From infants to centenarians all the world was rolling along and clamoring for good roads.

It may be readily recalled how the prices of horses went down, and how despairing were the complaints of bicyclists. Every manufacturer who could extend his works went to making bicycles. Every person who had not been able to buy a wheel or had not learned to ride a machine spent a good deal of every Sunday watching the giddy procession of cyclists on the boulevards. Like every other form of pleasure or exercise, wheeling was ago the decline in the popularity of pleasure-cycling became noteworthy. Today the bicycle is ridden principally for business reasons. For some time manufacturers have been as eager to get out of the bicycle making business as they were to get in. Their "ads." no longer occupy hundreds of pages in the magazines.—Philadelphia Record.

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But he related all that had occurred upon the night of his disappearance, and described the subsequent events. At first the directors were inclined to doubt his story; but as it progressed all suspicions of its veracity disappeared. Long before Louis had finished, they began to realize how unshaken he had been to the man who had suffered so much. As Louis finished his narrative, one of the directors stepped forward and grasped him cordially by the hand.

"He is one of my own countrymen," urged Louis. "We were schoolmates in our youth, and the peculiar circumstances under which he has recently labored may have made the temptation greater than it would otherwise have been. He has always been accustomed to every luxury, but recently has lost both his parents, and with them a large fortune, which all his life he has expected would be his upon their death. He found himself in a strange country, without even money enough to return to his native land, except what was given to him by a friend; so that he was sorely tempted to do as another countryman did, and to take the large reward offered for the recovery of the money and the apprehension of the thief in your hands."

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CHAPTER XLIII.

As soon as Louis and Margaret left the building after finding the gold, Arthur commenced with renewed vigor to dig away at the hole he was making in the wall. It was astonishing to see with what energy the usually indolent, pleasure-loving young man toiled. The knife was dull, and it was slow, hard work. At last, however, he had two inches cut away, then something confronted him for which he was wholly unprepared. Behind that lathwork there was a solid brick wall—a fire-proof wall!

He sank down upon the floor with a groan, all hope crushed out of his heart. He lay there in a crouching attitude for some time, then he glanced up eagerly at the other side of his prison—the rear side. There might not be any wall upon that side.

His table stood in the corner, he sprang up and moved it out, and in doing so discovered another hole not quite the size of the one on which he had been at work. "Ah, the diamond-worker who had owned the shop in the years gone by had seen to it that his treasures should be carefully guarded; while Louis had not, after all, been such a fool as he had at first supposed. He too, had tried to escape in the same way, and been baffled by that impassable barrier."

Must he stay there and be run down like a rat in a trap? He was arrested like any common thief, he tried and condemned to a fate that to him would be worse than death? His eye caught the gleam of his pocket knife, which he had thrown upon the floor after breaking it upon those tough laths, and he started, while a shiver ran through his frame. It had been very sharp, and a steady, determined stroke across an artery even with that broken blade, would place him beyond all fear of man or of the law.

Yes, all fear of man! Would he do it? Had he the courage and nerve to make that fatal stroke? He grew faint and sick; there came a sudden shock, a strong revulsion at the thought. A light fell before his eyes; a ringing as of discordant bells was in his ears; a cold sweat started out upon his forehead, and his heart beat with heavy throbs.

No, he had not the nerve; for away back in the past, when he was a little child and had knelt at his mother's knees to be taught to kiss his childish prayers, there had been instilled into his tender mind the fear of God and accountability to him. He might succeed in escaping the bar of human justice by becoming a suicide, but he knew it would only be to find himself before the bar of God to be judged—yes, and condemned—for all eternity.

His mother had been an amiable Christian woman, and he had loved her as well as his childish, exulting, arrogant nature would permit him to love anyone. She had been faithful to him, instructing him, as many another mother had done her boy, and seeing no return during life, but he knew that all her life she had prayed to the God in whom she believed for him, and that with her latest breath she had spoken his name, and pleaded that she might be allowed to care for him by and by in the upper world to which she was going.

She was gone; but, though dead, she yet seemed to speak to him, and in the awful silence of that room, when his own life had come to him, he seemed to feel her presence, while a vision of his past arose before him. He had lived for himself alone, for the gratification of his whims and caprices, making everything subservient to his own selfish desires. He had plotted and intrigued from his earliest boyhood to gain his own ends; he had allowed nothing to stand in his way, if trickery, or meanness, or deceit, would avail. He had never, that he could remember, done a noble act, performed a really good deed, or denied himself for the sake of another.

POLITICAL POINTS

Peculiar Tactics of the Opposit- Pointed Out. Mr. Tarte's Challenge to Hugh John Macdonald—Sir Adolphe's Programme. DUPLICITY OF OPPOSITION LEADERS.

Convincing proof that the Conservatives are deliberately carrying on a policy of rousing racial and religious prejudices is found in the conduct of their leaders during the present campaign in Montreal. Neither Sir Charles Tupper nor any of his colleagues questioned the loyalty of the French-Canadian English section of the French-Canadian meeting in the Monument Nationale, Sir Charles, Hon. Hugh John Macdonald and Hon. George E. Foster took particular pains to show that they were the real friends of the French-Canadians.

MR. TARTE'S CHALLENGE. Saturday morning the following telegram was addressed to the Hon. Hugh John Macdonald by Hon. J. Israel Tarte, minister of public works: "I see that the Hon. Hugh John Macdonald is making a speech in the House of Commons on the 17th inst. I would be most happy to meet him before an Ontario audience and to prove to him that his accusations have no foundation. I have said in France, and I have said over and over again in the House of Commons, I am sorry that Mr. Macdonald is trying to set race against race. Why did he not accuse me in Quebec, as he does in Ontario?" (Signed) J. Israel Tarte.

CARON IS A FIGHTER. Although Sir Charles Tupper had selected Sir Adolphe Caron as leader for the district of Three Rivers, which he at present represents in the House, local influences have proved too strong. The Division of Three Rivers repudiate Sir Adolphe and insist upon a local man. Sir Adolphe addressed the people at the exhibition there last week and tried hard to retain the constituency, but found that he could not. He has now decided to leave Three Rivers and run in Bonaventure. Mr. C. N. Armstrong, of Bale de Chaleurs Railway fame, has a good deal of influence still in that country, and last week Mr. Bazez, a lawyer, a New Carlisle lawyer, who had designs on the county, to visit Quebec and consult Sir Adolphe about the matter. It is altogether likely that Sir Adolphe will find a constituency in spite of the efforts of Mr. Bazez and the new organization to keep him out, for whatever his failings are he is a fighter.

TO SELL CHICKENS AT A PROFIT. An Open Letter From Mr. Gilbert of the Experimental Farm, Ottawa, the Recognized Poultry Authority of Canada. The farmers throughout Ontario have not as yet recognized the importance and value to themselves of a great central station, where they can send their chickens at any season of the year, and where they would get a fair price (which they would know before shipping). There is, beyond a doubt, a great deal of money to be made out of chickens—that is to say, to be made out of the right kind of chickens, such, for instance, as Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes and some of their crosses, for the larger birds are certainly the most in demand when sold for food, and more especially so when sent to a great fattening concern like the Canadian Produce Company, of Christie street, Toronto. This firm fattens the chickens and puts them in shape for exporting to the British market, where a large bird is in demand. The Canadian Produce Company, of Christie street, Toronto, has agreed to send single crates to any farmer. In this way a raiser of poultry on a small scale would be able to dispose of his stock with the same facility and at as large a price as the man who raises in large quantities. The company will not only send one or more crates to those who write for them, but they will pay express charges both on the crates going empty, as well as on the crates returning full. This includes the express charges, as well as on the returning crates. In this way it will be readily seen that the farmer has nothing to do but write for what he needs (each crate holds about 30 birds), to put his birds in the crates and send them back addressed to the company in Toronto, where the bills will be paid for at the weights when they arrive, and check or money order will be sent the same day in payment. This is not only a great boon for the farmer at the present moment, but will be the means of causing an unlimited demand for early broilers in the spring at prices running from 60 to 70 cents per pair, according to the market. There is one requisite, however, that every farmer must consider, and that is, unless the birds are strong and healthy they are of little use for exporting. The birds do not need to be fat, but they do need to be large, healthy and strong, and the sooner he can obtain by raising the correct kind of birds, the sooner he will be able to make a considerable amount of money



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INFAMMATORY RHEUMATISM.

—Mr. S. Ackerman, commercial traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for inflammatory rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every movement caused excruciating pains. I am now out on the road and exposed to all kinds of weather, but have never been troubled with rheumatism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oil on hand, and I always recommend it to others, as it did so much for me."

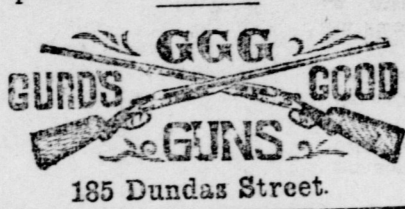
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METEOROLOGICAL.

Toronto, Sept. 17.—8 p.m.—The weather has improved tonight in the lake region, but east of the lakes to the Maritime Provinces unsettled conditions still prevail. In Manitoba and the Territories sharp frosts were again recorded last night, but today has been fine and milder. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-56; Kamloops, 42-72; Calgary, 33-56; Prince Albert, 28-62; Qu'Appelle, 34-56; Minnedosa, 26-50; Winnipeg, 32-50; Port Arthur, 48-62; Parry Sound, 48-56; Toronto, 48-62; Ottawa, 54-82; Montreal, 56-62; Quebec, 52-64; Halifax, 56-70. Local temperatures: The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Monday, Sept. 17, were: Highest, 60°; lowest, 43°. Today (Tuesday) the sun rose at 5:59 a.m., and set at 6:24 p.m. The moon rose at 9:58 a.m. and sets at 3:41 p.m.

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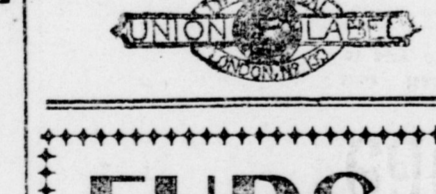
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A LOCAL BUDGET

—Ingersoll fair opens on Friday. —Jack Frost paid this vicinity a visit last night. —The London Medical School term opens today. —The cement walks about the Normal School have been laid. —Mr. John Ferguson, of Dufferin avenue, is confined to his bed through illness. —For the first time this season fires were started in all the city schools yesterday. —Mrs. S. Loughrin, of Stratford, is the guest of Mrs. S. Radcliffe, Colborne street. —Mrs. J. D. Sharman, 813 Richmond street, is visiting friends in Grand Rapids, Mich. —Six carloads of live stock went from the Western Fair to the Southern Fair at Brantford. —Mr. Kennie D'onzole, of the Merchants' Bank, Stratford, is visiting his parents on Colborne street, city. —Misses Julia and May Lucas, of Hamilton, have returned home from a visit with Mrs. R. D. Allan, 765 Queen's avenue. —Mr. Robert Richardson and son James, of Uxley, Mich., are spending

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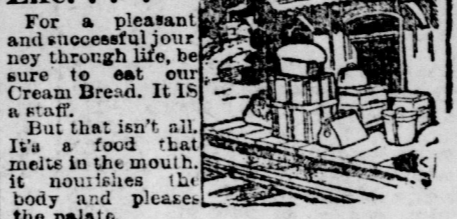
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a couple of weeks visiting in and around the city. —Rev. W. J. Clark, of this city, will preach anniversary sermons in the Central Presbyterian Church, Gait, on Sunday, Oct. 28. —Col. Stacey, of Wolseley Barracks, was in Hespeler last week inspecting the army and equipments, which he found in first-class order. —Miss Kate Batten, of Grand Rapids, Mich., who has been the guest of Mrs. A. O. Jeffery, Ridout street, for the past two months, has returned home. —Mrs. Wm. Allen Young and family returned to the city last night after an absence of three months at their summer cottage, Woodrowe Beach, near Sarria. —City Engineer Graydon is in receipt of a copy of the magnificent Victoria bridge souvenir, issued by the G. T. R. The work has an aluminum cover, and is a genuine work of art. —In connection with the address given by Rev. J. Endicott, Wednesday, Sept. 17, at the Empress Hotel, at 8 o'clock, there will be shown a large number of Chinese curios. —A firm of Hamilton lawyers have written to City Engineer Graydon, asking him what action he took to secure a cessation of undue noises on the street railway here. The lawyers' question are after the Hamilton railway. —Sunday afternoon at the residence of Wm. Tuke, 825 Lorn avenue, the death occurred of his eldest son, John Tuke, aged 17 years and 7 months. Death was due to influenza at the funeral took place at Mount Pleasant Cemetery this afternoon at 2:30. —Mr. Harry Stewart, the popular wine clerk at the City Hotel, narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday. He was crossing Richmond street at York, when a street car struck him. He is said to be in a more serious condition than a bruised back and a slightly cut elbow. —The Chicago British-American says: "Mr. and Mrs. John Glennon (formerly of London) returned to Auburn Park on Wednesday evening, Sept. 17, at 8 o'clock. They returned from Chicago about the 15th of August, and have visited all the important places in their native country, Canada." —Considerable regret is felt at Wolseley Barracks at the death of Quartermaster-Sergeant Hunt in South Africa. He was killed in the event of the camp a couple of years ago, and made many friends here. His widow and family have the earnest sympathy of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of Wolseley Barracks in their sad bereavement. —The funeral of the late James Fairbairn took place yesterday from the family residence, Wellington street, to Woodland Cemetery. It was attended by a large number of sympathizing friends. The services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. Dr. Henshall, pastor of the Church, and the pallbearers were Messrs. George Anderson, Ald. Ross, Charles McCormick, A. Sharp, W. J. Elenant and James Spry. —Messrs W. and A. Eacrett, of this city, whose sister, Mrs. S. H. Webber, was in Galveston, Texas, when the recent storm occurred there, have received a paper containing a partial list of the dead, in which her name and that of her husband appears. Since the storm, however, a letter has been received at the home of Mrs. Webber's sister, in Henshall, addressed in her writing, to her father, but as he was not there at the time it has not been opened. Her relatives are now convinced that she is still living. —A militia order has been recently issued at Ottawa to the following effect: "Non-commissioned officers and men of permanent corps, upon discharge at the termination of a period of confinement, will be provided with a suit of clothes, not to exceed \$5 in value, and in addition, in the event of discharge taking place between 1st November and 1st April, with a greatcoat, at a cost not to exceed \$5. The officer commanding the depot will forward the bill therefor, certified in the usual way, to the headquarters for payment." —Mr. William J. Wright, eldest son of the late John Wright, died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 779 Colborne street, after a few days' illness with brain fever. Mr. Wright had reached the age of 38 years. He was married to Miss J. K. Graham, daughter of the late William Graham, who, with two children, survive him. Two brothers, Edward, of Toronto, and Walter, with the Canadian Mounted Rifles in South Africa—are also left to mourn his loss. The funeral will be held at Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Deceased was a member of Fidelity Lodge, No. 5, A. O. U. W. —The W. M. S. Auxiliary of the Empress Avenue Church held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Armstrong, Friday. The reports presented were encouraging and indicative of the fact that there had been a steady growth throughout the year, and much good had been accomplished. The following officers were elected for ensuing year: President, Mrs. J. Heritage; first vice, Mrs. J. Elson; second vice, Mrs. Spence; third vice, Mrs. Stinchcombe; recording secretary, Mrs. N. Guest; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harrison; treasurer, Mrs. R. Greene. Refreshments were served at the close and a social time enjoyed by all. —The Epworth League of the Aeskin Street Methodist Church entertained the students of the Normal School last evening, many of the students, members of the league, and friends being present. The first part of the evening was given up to the making of acquaintances and the renewing of friendships. Minny cards and pencils being provided to this end. Subsequently a brief programme was rendered. Mr. Fred Wilson, president of the league, formally welcomed the students, as did also the pastor of the church, Rev. J. W. Hoines. Vocal solos were rendered by Miss Grace Rowntree and Mrs. Albert Brenton. Miss Colquhoun recited. Miss Turner favored with an instrumental, and the

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Messrs. Penny and Christie gave selection on behalf of the students Principal Merchant thanked the league, incidentally addressing some valuable advice to the gathering of young people generally. The evening's proceedings were brought to a close by the liberal serving of refreshments.

WATER COMMISSIONERS. The water commissioners held their regular fortnightly meeting yesterday afternoon, there being present Chairman Jones, Commissioner Little, Mayor Rumball, Superintendent Moore and Secretary Ellwood. No action will be taken in the claim of William Davies for rebate, nor in the claim of Wellington Street Methodist Church for damages to a drain, as the construction of a man had denied that his workmen had injured the church drain. A service will be furnished Thomas Ridge on Cheapside street, between Waterloo and Wellington streets. Mr. Orman having torn down a fence on the waterworks property, adjoining Mr. Orman's property, he disputing the city's ownership, the solicitor will be instructed to examine the city's title to the property. Mr. W. E. Saunders complained of the presence of poison ivy at Springbank Park, and Superintendent Moore will have the same destroyed. It was decided to pay over to the city treasury \$20,000 surplus revenue. A number of accounts were passed. The engineer's report for the fortnight ending Sept. 2 showed the total amount of water pumped to be 35,523,580 gallons. The water in the reservoir is 12 feet 9 inches. VERDICT FOR \$4,400 AND COSTS. The Duluth News-Tribune of Sept. 15, contains the following of local interest: The jury in the case of Fred J. Fewings vs. Luther Mendallan, as receiver of the Duluth Street Railway Company, which retired at noon, returned to court about 4 o'clock with a verdict for the plaintiff for \$4,400 and costs. This was a retrial of the case; the first trial at the May term having resulted in a disagreement of the jury. The plaintiff was a passenger in the defendant's car during the strike last year, when an attack was made on the car, and a brick thrown by one of the crowd struck Fewings on the head, the injury received incapacitating him from work since that time and probably proving a permanent injury. The trouble occurred on the first day of the strike, when Mr. Fewings had been in West Superior all day, and knew nothing of the strike. As soon as the car had crossed the river into Duluth it was struck by a brick, and the defendant, several other passengers also receiving injuries. The case turned upon the point as to whether the street car company's officers were culpably negligent in not providing proper protection for their passengers owing to the methods in use in other cities have been studied by committees representing the city, and by aldermen in private; but it remained for last night's meeting to take definite action in the matter. That it has been taken now is mostly due to Mayor Rumball, who considered that it should be put off no longer, and that a test of the best and cheapest scheme known should be made while the money voted for this purpose remains in the treasury. 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