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LONDON - CANADA.**JOHN CAMERON,** President and  
Mng. Dir.God's in His heaven,  
All's right with the world.  
—Browning.**London Contrasted With Hamilton and Ottawa.**

In the interesting summary of financial statements of Ontario city municipalities, compiled by Mr. James, secretary of the Bureau of Industries, there are some interesting contrasts. The cities that come nearest the size of London are Ottawa and Hamilton. Each has about 16,000 more population than this city, London's population being about 34,500 in 1895, the year for which the statistics are given. Hamilton collected \$11,623 for liquor licenses, and Ottawa \$16,250 for the same privileges. In London, however, the license fees only amounted to \$2,928. Both Hamilton and Ottawa have more licensed houses in proportion to population than London. The lighting of streets in London cost \$21,506; in Hamilton the same service costs \$35,071, and in Ottawa, \$35,876. For water supply, fire protection, London spent \$27,264; Hamilton, \$33,931, and Ottawa, \$36,862. It would be interesting to know what causes the disparity between the cost of this service in London and the other cities. A similar question may be asked with reference to the charge for "streets, bridges, and parks," in the three cities. In London the money thus expended is \$36,330, less than that service costs in Kingston, a city not half the size, while that branch of the public service costs in Hamilton \$97,885, and in Ottawa \$110,858, though the fine grounds around the Parliament Buildings at the capital are maintained at the expense of the taxpayers of all the Dominion. "Waterworks, sewers and electric light plant" are charged with \$45,734 in London, \$58,067 in Hamilton, and \$20,028 in Ottawa. The Board of Health, including inspection, costs \$1,500 in London, \$2,570 in Hamilton, and \$26,336 in Ottawa. In Hamilton, they have two health inspectors, and a weekly system of removal of all kinds of garbage from the dwellings of the people, which has proved a boon to the community, besides greatly improving the public health. The Hamilton public would not on any account go back to the old system of accumulating domestic refuse and miscellaneous filth for a year, and removing it in the spring. There seems to be more poor in proportion to the population in Hamilton than in London. In our neighboring city, \$36,184 was spent for "the poor and other charities," while in London only \$13,743 was expended. Ottawa only spent \$1,335, less than was given for the purpose named in any city of the province. For schools and education, London paid \$33,580, Hamilton, \$17,354, and Ottawa, \$39,557. The Ottawa schools are not so efficient or so well attended as ours are.

The most noticeable feature in the assets of the respective cities is that of "taxes in arrears." London shows up well, with only \$48,129 in a total of \$320,254. The Hamilton arrears are \$243,972, and those of Ottawa, \$520,000, or more than the total year's taxation. While Hamilton has \$444,771 invested in schools, and London has \$248,200, Ottawa has but \$235,000. London has its waterworks for a very small sum, compared with the cost of the waterworks of the other cities. Our waterworks have cost \$697,726. Hamilton has no less a sum than \$1,608,359 invested in waterworks, and Ottawa has \$2,097,500. In Ottawa, the blasting out pipe lines from the solid rock on which the capital is built doubtless added greatly to the first cost of the waterworks. While the assets of Hamilton and Ottawa are fattened by their costly waterworks, London owns a railway—the London and Port Stanley, 24 miles long—and thereby shows up well in the column for "sinking fund and other investments in mortgages, debentures, and works, etc." Under that head London is credited with possessing property valued at \$1,192,217, whereas Hamilton has but \$359,000, and Ottawa, \$345,312. Each of the three cities have more assets than liabilities. Hamilton claims a balance in its favor of nearly \$1,000,000; London has over \$230,000; and Ottawa has over \$100,000. Toronto has liabilities of \$22,650,154, and assets of \$23,717,445.

It is said that Mr. Foster, ex-Minister of Finance, will conduct a gabfest in North Ontario, before the Dominion bye-election in that constituency takes place. But there is no definite information as to which of the two Conservative platforms—that put up in North Grey election or that compiled specially for the Cornwall contest—will be adopted. Mr. Haggart and Dr. Montague having gone to Roseland, they are out of range of consultation.

**Mr. Charlton's Visit to Washington and His Promotion of Reciprocity.**

In an address at Toronto on Monday night, Mr. John Charlton, M.P., spoke interestingly about the prospects of reciprocity and of his visit to Washington this month. Mr. Charlton pointed out that we have in Canada a country to be proud of. We have natural resources capable of sustaining a nation of from 50,000,000 to 100,000,000 souls. He said he did not advocate a trade reciprocity because it was essential to Canadian nationality, or even to our prosperity, but because he believed it would be decidedly advantageous to the Dominion—in giving enlarged trade, more markets, more employment for our workpeople, and would cultivate a spirit of amity between the two great branches of the English-speaking race. Reciprocity is of three-fold importance: First, the importance that attaches to the great material results of a commercial treaty that would increase the material prosperity of the Dominion; second, the importance that attaches to the creation of friendly relations between the Dominion of Canada and the United States; and third, the importance that attaches to the extent of the conditions that will produce friendly relations beyond our borders, and the operation of those causes upon the relations existing between the United States and the British Empire.

Mr. Charlton exposed the unscrupulous tactics which had been resorted to by newspapers advocating trade restriction in order to prejudice the public against reciprocity. It had been contended by these cavillers that it was a suspicious circumstance when a Canadian Liberal M. P. paid a visit to the capital of the neighboring republic. But what wrong could there be in a man of leisure visiting any foreign country, meeting its public men, and hearing what they had to say on public questions? A story was concocted to the effect that he and Mr. Edward Farrer were in Washington together on a mission; but Mr. Charlton pointed out that he never saw Mr. Farrer in Washington, and that the well-known journalist had left that city some days before he got there. Mr. Charlton read from the Montreal Gazette the following:

"Mr. Charlton is credited with having said: 'Canada is at the parting of the ways. One road that lies before her leads through reciprocity to closer relations with the United States, with the prospect of ultimate absorption in that republic.'"

To show the unscrupulousness of the tactics resorted to in order to wrongly influence the public, Mr. Charlton said that this point of the interview, as issued by the Associated Press, was as follows:

"One statement which Mr. Charlton emphasized seems to possess significance. He represented Canada as now standing at the parting of the ways. On the one hand are more friendly business and social relations with the United States, and the gradual closing of the gap which has been widening since 1867."

There is nothing there about absorption. No torturing of the English language can make it appear that Mr. Charlton so contended. What he said to the people of the United States was:

"If you enter into an arrangement which will insure more intimate commercial and social relations it will lead to the gradual closing of the gap of unfriendliness which has been widening since the abrogation of the reciprocity treaty in 1866, and to more intimate business and social relations."

Mr. Charlton said that he had striven to show the United States people that reciprocity benefits would not be considered as trade restrictions in the republic content, but that the people of the United States, as well as those of Canada, would receive many advantages from the arrangement.

In reply to another stricture as to his visit to Washington, Mr. Charlton said he had called on Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, soon after his arrival, and asked him if it would be consonant with his position as a member of Parliament, if he were to go before the committee of ways and means of the House of Representatives and to be interviewed by newspaper men. Sir Julian replied certainly; that he should enter on a campaign of education, and lose no opportunity of pressing his views on public men in order that the false impressions as to Canadian affairs might be removed.

No reciprocity treaty could be agreed to on either side, that would not suit the vast majority of the people, and be fair to Great Britain at the same time. "Can we get reciprocity?" was Mr. Charlton's most important query. It may now be impossible; in 1894 the opportunity was lost. "At Washington," concluded Mr. Charlton, "one cannot fail to be impressed by the conflict of selfish interest that is everywhere noticeable. Against such influences it may be impossible for Canadians to make any headway. We can but go to the middle of the stream, and that it is our duty to do. If we fail, then we must turn elsewhere. From the Jews, Paul turned to the Gentiles; we may find it necessary to turn from them. We may have to bend our energies towards increased trade with England and other countries. I think we should do it anyhow. Our supreme duty is in all things to strive to build up Canada." Every patriotic Canadian will endorse this conclusion.

**RELIGIOUS BELIEF OF PRESIDENTS.**

Indianapolis Sentinel.  
McKinley will be the third Methodist President of the United States. Of the others, eight have been Episcopalians, six Presbyterians, two Unitarians, one Christian, and one Free-Thinker.

**Who Will Pay the Indemnity?**

Spain may or may not pacify Cuba, after spending hundreds of millions of dollars, and causing the loss of thousands of lives in the attempt. But one thing is certain, this old world monarchy will have a pretty penny to pay to other nations for indemnity for losses that have been in progress for the past year, and to which there appears to be no end short of the total ruin of plantations and dependent towns and villages. Already, citizens of the United States have filed claims with the Government at Washington, aggregating nearly \$10,000,000, and many claims are yet to be made up. Indeed, General Weyler seems to destroy the property of friend and foe alike. What he desires to accomplish is the submission of the islanders to the autocratic and oppressive system which has brought Spanish rule into disrepute in the west. But this wholesale burning of property of combatants and non-combatants alike can scarcely tend to reconcile anyone to a re-establishment of the old order of things.

It takes a third of the entire revenue of Canada to pay the interest and sinking fund for the Dominion debt. This is a formidable liability. But if we can at an early date place on our Northwest lands plenty of contented settlers, the burden can be materially lightened, without necessitating a cessation from providing the public works necessary for the development of the country. Every contented settler is an effective immigration agent.

**Mr. F. C. T. O'Hara's New Book.**

A talented Chatham, Ont., author has produced a noteworthy book. His name is Mr. F. C. T. O'Hara, a former well known member of the Baltimore Herald staff, to which journal the sketches now issued in book form were originally contributed. They found such favor with the public that Mr. O'Hara was urged to have them printed in a shape that would secure a wider circulation. The handsome volume, entitled "Snap Shots from Boy Life," now before us, is the result. The author, who is private secretary to Sir Richard Cartwright, secured the services of Mr. Astley Palmer Cooper, one of the cleverest artists on the American press, to design the beautiful cover and accompanying illustrations. The book might well be placed in the hands of every Canadian boy, for it contains much that ought to be known by the youth of the land, and not a little that will help them to get on in the world. As an interesting contribution to Canadian literature, it deserves, and will no doubt receive, a wide circulation. The publisher is Wm. Briggs, Toronto.

**IS IT REAL SPORT?**

Philadelphia Inquirer.  
The new Archbishop of Canterbury has written a letter of protest against the royal buck-hounds. There are no stags running wild in England now, but on many estates there are deer that have been born and bred there and some of them are trained to be hunted by the hounds. This, to some Englishmen, is sport. Probably there does not seem to be much delight in following a poor animal that, by its tameness, does not always know how to elude its pursuers. Probably the advocates of this kind of hunting use an argument similar to that of the dairy farmer who reproached a skinner for killing a cow, saying: "Bless your heart, they're used to it; we do it every day."

**UGHT TO BRING BUSINESS.**

Boot and Shoe Recorder.  
Here is an advertisement which should bring trade, even though people had to use a grindstone to wear holes through their shoes:

I am the Father of  
**TWENTY-SIX CHILDREN,**  
No Twins.

I AM ALSO A COBBLER.  
And I have served my country well. It is evidence that I will mend your shoes even when you are in the rear of Caldwell and Lanier's. Let me half-sole those. J. M. Linney.

**KILLED BY A SNOW PLOW.**

Watertown, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Shortly after 6 o'clock Monday evening, at a point thirty rods west of Three Mile Bay, on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Railroad, 20 miles from this city, a snow plow struck three Italians who were walking in a track. Two of them, Raphael Sock and Mike Sullivan, were badly injured. The third, Dominio Vacho, was instantly killed.

**BALLOONIST DROWNED.**

Key West, Fla., Jan. 27.—A young Cuban named Perez fell with a balloon into the sea yesterday and was drowned. Perez was not an aeronaut, and after going up over 1,000 feet became helpless. The ropes were tangled and the balloon went out about a mile from the shore and fell into the water. Boats from a revenue cutter went to render assistance, and the balloon was recovered, but Perez's body could not be found.

**AFTER THE SEEDLY DINNER.**

New York, Jan. 27.—The grand jury has indicted Herbert Barnum Seelye, James H. Phipps and Theodore Rich in connection with the recent dinner given by Mr. Seelye at Sherry's. The indictments charge them with conspiring to procure the indecent exposure of "Little Egypt" and Minnie Renwood. District Attorney Okonko says that the people present at the dinner as guests are not legally responsible.

**A Prominent Lawyer Says**

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

A young man and a young woman have to be very much in love with each other really to enjoy a long evening walk together at this season of the year.  
Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

**Disaster at Berlin.****A Fatal Explosion at the Gas Works.**

Foreman Aldridge Killed—Manager Breehaupt and Mr. Weller Badly Injured.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 27.—About 7:40 last evening the residents of the town were startled by two loud explosions, followed by the fire alarm, and very rapidly the news spread that the gas works were on fire.

On arrival there a horrible sight was witnessed. Outside in the snow lay the almost lifeless body of E. Carl Breehaupt, manager of the gas works, whether he had been blown in a burst of air or not is not known. He was removed to the residence of Dr. Bowby, where it was learned he is seriously, if not fatally, injured.

While this was going on rescuers made their way into the factory, knowing assuredly that others in the buildings must be in distress, or even worse, and their fear was well founded, for lying beside one of the tanks where the explosion occurred lay the lifeless body of Wm. Aldridge, foreman, with his hands, feet and clothing burned from him.

Another man, named Weller, also an employee, were pulled out of the building, badly burned, but it is thought not fatally. The injured were later removed to the hospital. It is impossible to say how the explosion occurred. One report is that Aldridge looked into one of the tanks, with the aid of his lantern, and in some way caused the explosion. Another theory, and one which is believed to be the correct one, is that one of the men had a lighted cigar, which dropped into one of the tanks. Mr. Aldridge had been in the employ of the gas and electric works here for ten years, and was looked upon as thoroughly acquainted with his work. Much sympathy is felt for his wife and family.

**WARDENS FOR 1897.**

Ontario County Councils Choose Their Presiding Officers.

Elections for wardens of counties took place throughout Ontario yesterday. Following are results, as received:

Bruce—Jas. Shoultice, Elderslie, Brant—Jos. McIntyre, Carleton—A. P. McDonald, of North Gower.

Cornwall, Dundas and Stormont—J. H. Melkie, Morrisburg. Durham—J. G. Preston, Mannors. Dufferin—R. Hickley, East Zorra.

Essex—N. E. Coste, Malden. Elgin—No election after 70 ballots. Voting resumed at 11 a.m. Wednesday.

Frontenac—J. M. Taggart, Bedford, township. Grey—James Allen. Haldimand—J. H. Salter, Hagersville.

Halliburton—Dr. Giles, Dysart. Hastings—John S. Dench, of No. 1 division. Huron—John Cox, Goderich township.

Kent—Jonas Goswell. Lanark—A. Carswell, Packenham. Lambton—Albert Duncan, of Petrolia (acclamation).

Leeds and Grenville—Jas. B. Saunders, Athens. Lennox—B. E. Aylesworth, Bath. Lincoln—John Jackson.

Liddlesex—Douglas Leitch, of Carleton Place. Norfolk—Wm. Kelly, Houghton. Ontario—Chas. King, Whitby.

Oxford—R. Kaufman, East Zorra. Peterboro—A. tie between Malony and Casement. Perth—N. Monteth, Downie.

Prince Edward—P. R. Young, Picton. Renfrew—Dr. Channonhouse, Eganville. Victoria—Dr. Wood, Kirkfield.

Waterloo—A. H. Erb, Elmira. Welland—J. Morris. Wellington—John McNab, West Luther. Wentworth—Dr. McGregor, Watford.

**Positive Proof.**

Messrs. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.:  
Gentlemen,—Some two weeks ago I obtained a box of your Heart and Nerve Pills from our popular druggist, Mr. E. Scudette, of Dundas, and I can now unhesitatingly say that they have been very beneficial to me in relieving an obstinate and old standing complaint affecting my heart and nerves. I was troubled with the well-known symptoms of heart and nerve trouble, such as sleeplessness, dizziness, palpitation, neuralgic and other pains, for such a long time that I had really given up hope of a cure. Now, out of gratitude to this remedy, and so others may learn of its virtues, I give my unsolicited testimony.

There is no cure so good for heart and nerve troubles as Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. This is my honest opinion. My wife is also using this remedy with great success for fluttering of the heart. (Signed) J. D. Robinson, Dundas, Ont.

Laxa Liver Pills cure constipation, biliousness and sick headache, 25c.

The Czar of Russia believes that to till the soil is the noblest occupation for man. Besides having a knowledge of agriculture, he can plow, reap and sow, and can milk a cow.

**THE MEDICINE FOR LIVER AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.**—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills as a cure for Liver and Kidney complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines that were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

An old Scotch lawyer, writing of an estate he had just bought, added: "There is a chapel upon it, in which my wife and I wish to be buried at our lives are spared."—Tud-Bits.

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

At a fashionable ball—Miss Walters—Miss de Peyster seems to have something on her mind tonight. Miss Williams—Well she ought to have something on her somewhere.—Somerville Journal.

SMITH BROS., Plumbers and Steamfitters, Have removed to 265 Dundas Street.

**When You Begin to Realize the Facts****Your Astonishment Will Increase.****Do You Propose to Pay Old Prices?****Or Will You Investigate?****A Great Sensation!****Our Prices Very Popular.****A Great Tweed Special.**

One special table of Fine Wool Tweeds, goods that have been selling at 50c per yard. They looked so good we bought too many of them. The only reason that they are now going at 25c per yard.

**A CURL.**

Those Curl Dress Goods that we have been selling at 60c per yard. We have a few left in Brown and Black and Blue and Black, and the price is cut to 35c yard.

**\$1.00 for 50c.**

That sounds like a good investment for somebody. Well, that is the kind of business we are doing these days.

**Ladies' German-Made Skirts**

Not a great many left. They have gone very fast, but that is what we intended they should do when we marked them at HALF PRICE.

**All-Wool Flannel Skirts**

Silk Embroidered, were selling at \$2, now only \$1, and all our other priced Skirts are going in the same way. The price Just Cut in Two.

**See Our Silk Mixed Plaids**

At 32c yard, they were 50c per yard.

**COME TO THE BIG SALE AT CHAPMAN & CO.'S,**

126-128 Dundas Street.



## 1st. Greatest Merit

Of several trial and test prove in regard to Hood's Sarsaparilla.

## 2d. Greatest Cures

Shown by thousands of honest, voluntary testimonials—which naturally and actually produce

## 3d. Greatest Sales

According to the statements of druggists all over the country. In these three points Hood's Sarsaparilla is peculiar to itself.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—It is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla are the only pills to take

Commercial.

Wheat in Chicago Slumped Nearly 2 Cents.

Heavily Feeling Caused by the United States Government Report.

Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son, WEEKLY REVIEW.

London, Wednesday, Jan. 27.

Wheat, per bu., red 75c to 78c

Oats, per bu., white 20c to 21c

Peas, per bu., white 20c to 21c

Corn, per bu., white 20c to 21c

Barley, per bu., white 20c to 21c

Beans, per bu., white 20c to 21c

The receipts of grain for the week just closing have been lighter than for some time.

Oats were forced up 2c to 5c as a consequence.

Wheat was not affected.

The greatest scarcity existed in corn, buckwheat, rye and beans. Stocks in store seemed to be good, and prevented a general advance.

The butter and egg trade was quite steady, and show no alterations in value.

Meats were quiet, and with the exception of lamb, made no change.

Hides and skins were quiet.

Hay sold at 7c to 8c, mostly 7c; the supply was heavy.

General quotations:

Wheat, white, per 100 lbs., 130 to 135

Wheat, red, per 100 lbs., 125 to 130

Oats, per 100 lbs., 45 to 50

Peas, per 100 lbs., 45 to 50

Corn, per 100 lbs., 45 to 50

Barley, per 100 lbs., 45 to 50

Beans, per 100 lbs., 45 to 50

Buckwheat, per 100 lbs., 45 to 50

Provisions.

Honey, 5 to 12

Butter, per lb., 10 to 12

Eggs, per dozen, 10 to 12

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sold between 75c to 77c, closing at 77c-78c to 2c under yesterday. Cash wheat was 75c and 1c to 1c lower. Corn declined 1c and oats 1c to 1c lower. Provisions were lower.

The leading futures close as follows:

Wheat—No. 2, Jan., 75c; May, 77c; July, 78c; Corn—No. 2, Jan., 35c; May, 36c; July, 37c; Sept., 38c.

Oats—No. 2, Jan., 18c; May, 17c to 17c; July, 18c; Sept., 19c.

Meat—Jan., 27c; May, 27c; Sept., 27c.

Lard—Jan., 27c; May, 27c; Sept., 27c.

Short ribs—Jan., 27c; May, 27c; Sept., 27c.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour—No. 2, 27c; No. 3, 26c; No. 4, 25c; No. 5, 24c; No. 6, 23c; No. 7, 22c; No. 8, 21c; No. 9, 20c; No. 10, 19c; No. 11, 18c; No. 12, 17c; No. 13, 16c; No. 14, 15c; No. 15, 14c; No. 16, 13c; No. 17, 12c; No. 18, 11c; No. 19, 10c; No. 20, 9c; No. 21, 8c; No. 22, 7c; No. 23, 6c; No. 24, 5c; No. 25, 4c; No. 26, 3c; No. 27, 2c; No. 28, 1c; No. 29, 0c; No. 30, 0c; No. 31, 0c; No. 32, 0c; No. 33, 0c; No. 34, 0c; No. 35, 0c; No. 36, 0c; No. 37, 0c; No. 38, 0c; No. 39, 0c; No. 40, 0c; No. 41, 0c; No. 42, 0c; No. 43, 0c; No. 44, 0c; No. 45, 0c; No. 46, 0c; No. 47, 0c; No. 48, 0c; No. 49, 0c; No. 50, 0c; No. 51, 0c; No. 52, 0c; No. 53, 0c; No. 54, 0c; No. 55, 0c; No. 56, 0c; No. 57, 0c; No. 58, 0c; No. 59, 0c; No. 60, 0c; No. 61, 0c; No. 62, 0c; No. 63, 0c; No. 64, 0c; No. 65, 0c; No. 66, 0c; No. 67, 0c; No. 68, 0c; No. 69, 0c; No. 70, 0c; No. 71, 0c; No. 72, 0c; No. 73, 0c; No. 74, 0c; No. 75, 0c; No. 76, 0c; No. 77, 0c; No. 78, 0c; No. 79, 0c; No. 80, 0c; No. 81, 0c; 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the United States; No. 1 is quoted at 32c to 33c east, No. 2 at 28c to 29c east, No. 3 at 25c to 26c, and feed at 22c to 23c outside.

Corn is easier; new yellow was offered west today at 21 1-2c.

Oats are dull and easy; mixed are quoted at 17 1-2c, north and west points and white at 18 1-2c to 19c west.

Peas are steady; ten cars sold north and west points today at 40c, and 41c middle freights.

**Toronto Produce Market.**  
Toronto, Jan. 27.

Butter, basic		
Butter, powdered rolls	15	to
Butter, creamery tubs	17	to
Butter, creamery rolls	19	to
Eggs, new laid	19	to
"	14	to
Beef, forequarters, per lb.	24	to
Berf, hindquarters, " "	26	to
Lamb, per lb., selected	8	to
Lamb, per lb.	6	to
Pork, per lb.	5	00
Hog, heavy	4	75
" " selected	5	00
Breakfast bacon	10	to
Mess pork	11	to
Pork, per lb.	9	25
Pork, shoulder mess	9	01
Hams, smoked	10	to
" " per lb.	7	to
Cheese, per lb.	6	to
Dickens, per pair	45	to
Ducks, per pair	45	to
Turkey, per lb.	18	to

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**Latest Montreal Markets.**  
Montreal, Que., Jan. 2.

**GRAINS AND FLOUR.**  
Oats—In store. No. 2 white, 24½c to 25c.  
Peas—77c to 42c.  
Corn—31c to 32c.  
Feed barley—30c.  
Buckwheat—33c to 34c.

feed - Bran, \$9 to \$10; shorts, \$11 to \$12.  
**PROVISIONS.**  
 Canadian short-cut, clear, \$10 to \$10 50.  
 Ham - 9c to 10c.  
 Bacon - 8c to 9c.  
 Lard - Pure, 7c to 7 1/2c; compound, 5 1/2c to 6c.  
**PRODUCE.**  
 Cheese - Held firm at 12c; market quiet.  
 Butter - Quiet, firm; for finest 20c; the  
 becoming scarcer.  
 Eggs - Quiet demand; small lots Mont-  
 lined, 11c to 14c; Western lined, 13c to 13 1/2c.  
**The Oil Market.**  
**PETROLEA**  
 Petrols, Jan. 27.-Oil opened and closed

**Late English Markets.**  
(Barbours' Report by Cable.)

**LIVERPOOL, Jan. 27.—415 p.m.**  
Wheat: Spot, quiet; demand poor; red spring, 6s 3d; No. 1 hard California, 6s futures opened easy, with near and distant positions low; closed steady, with May and May, 14d lower and other months, 1d lower; closed on an uptick at 51d; Jan., 6s 51-2d; Feb., 6s 51d; March, 6s 51-2d.

Corn: Spot quiet; American mixed, 4s 6d; futures opened easy, with near and distant positions unchanged; closed steady, with near and distant positions unchanged; low; business heavy on uptick; positions, Jan., 3s 51-2d; Feb., 3s 51-2d; March, 3s 51-2d; May, 3s 51-2d.

Flour:—all demand poor; St. Louis soft winter, 8s 3d.

**American Produce Markets**  
CHICAGO.  
Chicago, Jan. 27.—Opening.—Wheat, 72c; corn, 54c; soybeans, 12c; oats, 37c; July 24c; Sept. 34c. Oats, May, 175c. 1c. May, 87 1/2c. Lard, May, 84c; July, 84.10.  
May, 84.06.

NEW YORK.  
New York, Jan. 27.—Opening.—Wheat, 122.00; corn, 54c; state and western, 54c; week.  
Wheat—Quiet; sales, 150 bush; super, 82 1/2c to 92.30; fair, 82.10 to 83.05.  
Wheat—Receipts, 10,175 bu; sales, 2,040 bu; 100 bush, 82 1/2c to 83.05. Corn—Unsettled; prices declining under week of 1/2c; 50 bush, 54c to 54 1/2c. Soybeans—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Rice—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Hops—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Lard—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Butter—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Eggs—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Cattle—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Hogs—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Poultry—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c. Miscellaneous—Unsettled; sales, 82 1/2c to 83 1/2c.

opolina, No. 2, inactive; May, 21½c;  
Butter—Receipts, 5,493 packages; state  
dairy, 10c to 11c; creamery, 10c to 11c;  
to 10c to 11c.  
Eggs—Receipts, 2,553 packages; quiet;  
large, 8c to 11c; do, small, 8c to 11c;  
do, extra, 8c to 11c.  
Flour—Receipts, 5,538 packages; state  
and Pennsylvania, 1½c to 13c; We-  
Sugar—Raw, dull refined quiet; crushed,  
10c to 11c.  
Petroleum—Dull; refined, all ports,  
to 85.  
Lard—Quiet; No. 7, 6½c.  
Hops—Inactive.  
Wheat—Large, bullion price, \$2 50; ex-  
port, \$3 00 to \$3 75.  
BUFFALO.  
Buttle, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Spring  
Flour—No. 1, hard, old, 88c; do, new,  
No. 1 northern, old, 85½c; do, new, 81½c;  
No. 2, red, 81c on truck; do, in store,  
80c.  
Corn—Dull but firm; No. 2, yellow, 29½c;  
No. 2, white, 29½c; do, on truck, 29½c;  
do, 5c to 5½c; do, on truck, 29½c.  
Oats—Dull; No. 2, white, 21c to 22c;  
No. 2, red, 20c to 21c.  
Barley—Canada, 24c to 25c; No. 2, 24s.  
DETROIT.  
Detroit, Jan. 27.—Wheat—No. 1 white  
duff, 85c; No. 2, 84c; No. 3, 83c.  
TOLEDO.  
Toledo, Jan. 27.—Wheat—Cash, 85c to

Chicago Exchange.			
	Open.	High.	Low.
Wheat - May...	75 1/2	77	76 1/2
July...	75 1/2	77	76 1/2
Corn - May...	25 1/2	26	25 1/2
July...	25 1/2	26	25 1/2
Oats - May...	11 1/2	12	11 1/2
July...	11 1/2	12	11 1/2
Port - May...	18 1/2	19 1/2	18 1/2
Lard - May...	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
July...	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Alar...	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Ribs - Jan...	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
July...	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Puts, 75¢ calls, 77 1/2			

**More Charges!**

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**A Man Out of Work Who Was  
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**and Offered a Position as Constable on  
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**Wednesday Afternoon.**

Mrs. Mary Haynes, wife of Thomas Haynes, entered the box and was examined by Mr. McKillop.

Mrs. Haynes said she lived at 1,023 Brydges street at the election time. She knew Herbert Boyd, and had seen him on Friday week before the election. Boyd came to her house in the evening, about 7 o'clock, on his bicycle. He asked if Mr. Haynes was at home. Witness told him "No." Boyd asked her to tell Mr. Haynes to go to see him next day at the store (Pigott & Bryan's), where Mr. Boyd worked.

A.—He asked me if I knew why Mr. Haynes voted. I told him Mr. Haynes was a Grit, Boyd said, "Tell him to come round tomorrow at 10 o'clock, and I will fix that all right."

A.—He asked me if Mr. Haynes he work. I said, "No." He said he would see me at 10 o'clock, I do for that, and I told him to come round.

A.—Yes; he came to the house next Monday evening. He and my husband had a conversation in front of the house.

A.—Did you hear what they said?

A.—No very much. I heard the talk.

A.—Did you hear from Boyd after that?

A.—Yes; we got two letters from him.

WANTED TO KNOW HIS PRICE.

A.—Yes, the night before the election. He came about midnight. My husband had gone to bed, and I was just getting ready to retire. I went to the door, and Boyd asked me if Mr. Haynes could come down early the morning and get his vote, and also act as constable. When he was going away, Mr. Boyd said, "Be sure and come early, and don't be afraid to mention your price."

Q.—Where did this conversation take place?

A.—In the hall.

Q.—How did he come there?

A.—With a horse and buggy.

Q.—Where was your husband's v

of the city—where they had lived before this.

To Mr. Hellmuth, witness said, sometimes paid her rent to Mr. M. Killop. The landlord was Mr. M. She had been in her present house year next month. She had four children. Her husband had been out of work a few weeks before election. Witness had been earning money for herself to aid in keeping the family. Before the election she remembered having trouble with a tooth. The jawbone was partly broken, and she was

Q.—Was it lack of means preventing you?

A.—No: I was getting better.

Witness said that about two or three months ago she had told Mr. McCauley what she had told today. She could not say how many times she had talked it over with her husband. She knew Inspector Sanders. He came to see why the children were not in school and find out if they were in the family.

Q.—Did your husband go down in the morning to act as constable?

A.—No.

Q.—Did he not tell Mr. Boyd

**THE EXPENSES.**

The case has lasted so long that many inquiries have been made as to how the heavy expenses of the case will be met. The answer is that the expenses for counsel fees were formerly so heavy when distinguished counsel were employed that the losing party might easily be ruined. To obviate this the act provides that the winning party shall only be paid the losers \$300 for counsel fees, \$100 in addition, witness fees. The petitioner, Mr. P. has paid \$1,000 when he lodged his petition. The sum is retained until the close of court and is paid back to him if

pay counsel fees and witness fees. The deposit does not cover these expenses. The respondent has to pay the balance. The judges and court expenses are paid by the Government.

### MIDDLESEX COUNTY COUNCIL

The Committee Named and the Attorneys Appointed.

**TUESDAY AFTERNOON.**

Immediately after the election of the wardens, the senior members of the eight divisions were appointed to strike standing committees. The committee is as follows: Sir MacLeod, Mr. J. S. MacRae, Mr. Henry Hardy, C. C. Hodgins, Mr. Webster, John Morgan and The Hon. Mr. Justice.

David J. Donaldson, of Caradoc, was appointed auditor by the warden. D. D. Stanley was elected by the warden to be the clerk. He has drafted the following committee:

Finance Committee—Messrs. J. McLaughlin, J. S. MacRae, I. Birtch, Hardy, Webster and Ben. B. Road of Road Directors—Messrs. McLaughlin, MacRae, Hardy,

Jall, Messrs. Morgan, McLaughlin, and  
 Burth, Bradley, McLaughlin, and  
 McLaughlin.  
 Petitioning—Messrs. Campbell,  
 son, Stewart, Duffin and Bennett.  
 Agriculture—Messrs. Murray,  
 Morgan, McLaughlin and Bradley.  
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 at, Jackson, McLaughlin and Bradley.  
 Hodge, McLaughlin, McLaughlin,  
 Hodgins, Elson, Duffin, Murray,  
 Campbell.  
 of Refuse—Messrs. McLaughlin,  
 Hodgins, Hardy, McLeod and Murray.  
 Equalization—Messrs. Bradley,  
 Duffin, Burth, McLaughlin,  
 ster, McLeod and Hardy.  
 After the reading of communications  
 with reference to the following  
 committees, Reeve Hodgins advised  
 the council regarding the  
 suspension camp near Oshawa.  
 Mr. Hodgins said the committee  
 had found them in on Saturday  
 morning. Since that time he had  
 been. From what he was  
 learned from the members they were

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The steamer Magnolia, lying between the wharves and Boatswain's, was burned to the water's edge on Tuesday morning, while it docked at the former place, where she had been and was to have been.

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Two Children Dead, While a Fourth  
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Jeffersonville, Ind., Jan. 27.—A ter-

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Before a physician could arrive the first two named children were dead. Lulu died during the night, and the boy is very ill. Mrs. Madison is alive.

**THE BERLIN EXPLOSION**

**Death of Manager Brethaupt — Third Fatality.**

Special to The Advertiser.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 27.—Carl Brethaupt, who was injured in the explosion at the gasworks last night died this morning without recovering consciousness.

**ALLEGED FIREBUGS.**

Four of the Melancthon Suspects Committed for Trial.

James Ballard, James Corbett, William Reed and Dave Ballard—were committed for trial this morning. In a case of Lou Smith was gone on with the charge is that he set fire to the buildings of the same name with intention to defraud. Evidence indicated that a man named Scott insured the buildings for \$700, and the buildings were burned down. It was the policy was taken out. The evidence is strong against Smith.

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Toronto, Jan. 26—11 p.m.—The distribution of pressure has changed very little since last night; it continues highest in the Northwest Territories, and lowest in the Maritime Provinces. Temperature has risen a little over portions of Ontario and Quebec, but on the whole has remained decidedly cold everywhere.

**PROBABILITIES.**  
Toronto, Jan. 27—1 a.m.—Probabilities for 24 hours for lower lakes region: Westerly winds; generally fair and cold.

**LOCAL TEMPERATURES.**  
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory yesterday were 10 above and 5.3 below.

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So they scrubbed us sore with their stinkin' soap, An' burnt our 'Ome'land-Ditch duds; An' 'ad a prayer for our dirty ways While they washed us down with suds.

An' they took us down to th' steamer-work, In a 'ole new set o' togs; An' 'ad a 'Ome'land-Ditch new soul, They shipped us off like 'ogs.

An' the ladies called us "Angel boys!" An' "so 'andsome in our clothes!" But, 'Arry, my eye! you know 'ow far In us the angel goes.

They chuckled us down in a caulk-ship, With blinks made out o' a stall; An' we left o' 'Englan' far be'ind, An' we pointed for Montreal.

An' they said as 'ow we shouldn't bawl, An' we musn't make a fuss; An' as 'ow th' 'Canadian farmer-men Would be nice an' kind to us.

An' they sung about this 'appy land, An' as 'ow we'd all do well; But it ain't just wot we thought it was, It's far too much like a soil.

Out 'ere it's "wot you little brand, An' earn your 'oomin' salt," An' some guy always grunts 'roun', An' some cove finds a fault.

It ain't so 'ard on a poor Canuck, As was born to scratch an' sweat; But I know as 'ow W'itchapel ain't A farm'n' college yet!

An' I 'ave bein' spoke so gentle to, An' looked so werry kind; I 'ave their 'oomin' 'arvest time, I 'ave their 'oomin' 'arvest kind.

An' with us as made our livin' out O' th' 'arvest, 'Arry, wot's th' use O' us two swinkin' 'ere?

Let 'em take us out of our gutter 'ome, An' scour us till we're sore; An' 'ad a 'Ome'land-Ditch make a man Wot 'e never was before.

For wot's been brod in these 'ere bones, In these 'ere bones was bred; An' you an' me is gutter scum, Till you an' me is gutter scum.

—Arthur J. Steninger.

**A Local Budget**

—Programmes for concerts and entertainments printed on shortest notice at The Advertiser Job Department.

—The fourth sodalite at the Palace Theatre Academy last night was highly successful, a large number of young people enjoying the up-to-date programme.

—The Bishop of Huron is confined to his house through illness, and will not be out for a few days. He was unable to keep his appointment last Sunday at Chadstone.

—Brigadier Margreth, Staff-Capt. Turner and Captain Fisher, of the Salvation Army here, are attending conference of war with officers of the Stratford District, at Chatham.

—Mr. George Teeple and bride have returned home from an extended honeymoon. The happy young couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends around Glendale.

—Former eight hundred people gathered at the Princess Rink last night. The attendance varies but little, and the crowd is a fashionable one. A good quality of ice and fine music may always be relied upon.

—Yesterday the Salvation Army barracks were visited by five of God's Ambassadors, the officers of the Salvation Army in the United States. The volunteers are members of Lieut. Col. Fielding's staff in Chicago, and were en route to New York.

—Miss Botterell, of Montreal, corresponding secretary of the Dominion Y. W. C. A., and Miss Winnie MacDonald, recording secretary of the Dominion Y. W. C. A., will address the young women's meeting in the "Y" rooms. Both are earnest and eloquent speakers.

—Many homeless people find shelter these cold nights at the Salvation Army Hotel. So great has been the number of lodgers for the past few nights that the officer in charge has had to make several shake-downs to accommodate all. However, as yet, no one has been turned away.

Prof. Dornward will be in London, at the Griggs House, on Thursday, Feb. 4, with a complete line of 1897 styles in art hair goods, consisting of Ladies' Wigs, Bangs, Front-pieces, Switches, etc., and Gentlemen's Wigs, Toupees, etc. As the professor always has his hands full when here, intending callers should call early, as he cannot stay over the time stated.

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**A More Substantial Affair Than Tiles.**

**The Board of Works' Recommendation Adopted—Alterations in the Specifications.**

A special meeting of the City Council was held last night to discuss sewer matters. Most of the members gathered in the ante-room, off the chamber, to await the action of No. 2 committee, who had assembled to consider the matter, and report to the council. The committee started about 7:30, but the discussion that ensued over the building of a shed on the works and the grinding of shovels, etc., kept the committee engaged until about 9 o'clock. Then the mayor rose to explain the cause of the meeting—the consideration of substituting brick for the in section P of the new sewerage system, and one or two amendments to the specifications. The report of No. 2 was as follows: Clause 1 recommended that section P, extending from Ridout and York to Gray and Richmond streets, a distance of 3,100 feet, be constructed of brick, two rings of egg-shaped form, and of dimensions 1 foot 3 inches by 2 feet 6 inches, instead of 24-inch tile, as directed by the council of 1895; the change to be made, providing Consulting Engineer Chapman agrees to the same.

Ald. Parnell read a letter from Engineers Graydon and Ashbridge, in which they expressed the opinion that a better sewer could be built of brick, and that an egg-shaped sewer, when running full, would carry more than a circular one of 24 inches. It also had a greater velocity with the same volume of flow when the depth did not exceed eight inches or one foot, and that for a great number of years the flow would be small.

The engineer in that communication says: "In comparing the cost of the two sewers I have allowed for three inches of concrete over the pipe and four inches on each side, similar to the Wharncliffe road sewer."

"The cost of each class of sewer (exclusive of excavation) would probably be about \$1.80 per lineal foot."

"The 24-inch tile not being so much in demand as the smaller size, it is possibly make the cost of these the greater than I supposed. In any case I believe the brick sewer will be found to be the most durable, and it would have the advantage also of employing more city labor and material."

Another letter was read as follows: "The work includes the construction of 500 feet of 3 feet circular brick sewer, 1 foot 3 inches by 2 feet 6 inches egg-shaped brick sewer, and 2,911 feet of 1-foot 3 inches by 2-foot 6 inches egg-shaped brick sewer."

"The average depth is 17 feet 6 inches and the estimated cost is \$15,000, or about \$4.01 per lineal foot."

Bathurst and Horton street sewers will be taken up where met with, and throughout the entire length arrangements are made to provide direct connection of private drains with the new sewer.

"Richmond street sewer shall be connected in a sub-chamber at Horton street, which will allow the surplus in time of storms to be discharged in the city for bricks and other things, instead of going into American cities for the pipes."

Clause 2 recommended that nine hours be placed in clause 30 of the specifications instead of ten hours. Ald. Taylor was opposed to this being the limit, as there was work at the bottom of the drain that might be worth much more to do.

Ald. Parnell explained that the pay was to be the equivalent for nine hours' work, and that the city solicitor would see that the clause was properly worded.

Ald. Olmstead said everybody seemed ready to amend the specifications, simply because they wanted something to do and hear themselves talk. The citizens had enough to pay for, without having the expenses added to in this respect.

The proposed amendment to clause 30, whereby it was recommended that the contractor supply the tools, and that a shed be erected for the men to eat in, was stricken out after considerable discussion, on the following division:

Yeas—Ald. Taylor, Bennett, Olmstead, Carothers, Stevely, Turner, Parnell, McCallum—8.  
Nays—Johnston, Douglass, Winnett, Cooper, Hunt and Dreaney—4.  
Ald. Nulkins refused to vote and paired off with Ald. O'Meara.

**THE ONLY SURVIVOR.**  
Horatio, Earl Nelson, who is 74 years of age, is now the only surviving peer who was alive and in enjoyment of his titles when Queen Victoria came to the throne. He is the third who has worn the title. When the present Lord Nelson dies the pension of £3,500 pounds a year, granted to the first Lord Nelson, expires, seeing that it was only given to the hero and his two immediate successors. Lord Nelson is not in the immediate line of succession. The hero of Trafalgar left no children, and was succeeded by his brother, who likewise died without a direct heir. The peerage passed to the present Lord Nelson, who was a son of Admiral Nelson's sister.

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Q.—Were you in London June 23rd last?  
A.—I was.

Q.—Purposely for the election?  
A.—No. I had some business here also.

Q.—And was it worth your while; ending the amount necessary to come here even if you had business here, or did you not receive money or a railway ticket to bring you here to vote?

A.—I have a family of six and as there is no place I can get suited except in London for Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Valises, Purse, Leather Goods, etc., I came here to get a pair of Boots all round for them and myself, also a Trunk, a Valise and a Purse.

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