

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.
IRWIN.—In this city, on Sept. 10, 1899, Muriel Olive, infant daughter of Wm. and Lillian Irwin, aged 3 months and 5 days.
Funeral will leave family residence, 188 William street, Monday, 4:30 p.m.—Private.

Amusements and Lectures

TONIGHT—
GRAND RECITAL
BY MISS JESSIE ALEXANDER.
DUNDAS CENTER METHODIST CHURCH.
Musical programme under direction of Mr. W. H. Hewlett. Admission 25 cents.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Four nights, commencing tonight, matinee Wednesday, third and best edition of that rapid, roaring and rollicking farce,
"WHO IS WHO."
Introducing those comic fellows, Fanny and Ricketty, and an excellent company of 25 highly-trained artists—25. Prices—25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00. Seats now on sale.

THE ALLAN AND CUNARD LINES
Furnish F. B. Clarke, Richmond, Postmaster, next door to Advertiser special reports by wire of arrival of steamships. Sailings from Montreal California, Thursday, Sept. 14.

NOTICE—BICYCLE RIDERS WILL
check wheels at big tent between King street entrance Fair grounds. 40c

\$14.85 OUT IN RATE, LONDON.
Ont., to Montreal and return via port, including meals and berth. The favorite steamer and Ocean, sailing Tuesday and Saturday. Single fare from London \$14.85. The Rapids of the St. Lawrence and Thousand Islands passed in daylight. F. B. Clarke, Richmond, next Advertiser.

VISITORS TO WESTERN FAIR SHOULD
not fail to take a bath at famous mineral springs, foot Dundas street west. Cole & Edwards.

MONDAY EVENING—OCTOBER 9
—Opening night for season at the Palace Dancing Academy. Dayton & McCormick.

Doctics Wanted.

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—IM-
MEDIATELY; to whom good wages will be paid. Apply 307 Queen's avenue. 47c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; MUST
have reference; only four in family. Apply to Mrs. G. H. No. 2 Cartwright street, 40c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL
servant. 363 Ridout street. 40c

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY—AN EX-
PERIENCED general servant; references required. Apply Mrs. W. G. Coles, 290 Princess avenue. 40c

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT.
Apply 105 Clarence street. 40c

WANTED—GOOD PLAIN COOK. APPLY
122 Kent street. 40c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; ALSO
young girl to assist in care of children. Apply at 386 King street. 40c

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS GROCERY
clerk; state age, experience and salary. Address W. C. R., this office. 47c

WANTED—FIVE HUNDRED LABOR-
ERS, \$1.75 per day; \$1.35 per week for board; teamsters, \$20 per month and board. Apply to A. Calder, C. P. R. city ticket office, corner Richmond and Dundas streets. 47c

WANTED—BOY TO DRIVE GROCERY
rig. Apply Sheas, 747 Waterloo. b

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER
trade. Only eight weeks required. Half rate transportation. Apply to J. H. Barber, Chicago, Ill. 40c

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN TO
work around house, garden and take care of horses; good home. Apply at 192 Kent street. 40c

MEN WANTED AT SAULT STE. MARIE.
Ontario; carpenters, mechanics, millwrights, masons, etc. Apply to Lake Superior Power Company, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. 40c

WANTED—BOYS—MUST BE OVER 16
—D. S. Perrin & Co. 40c

Female Help Wanted

WANTED—OLD AND RELIABLE FIRM
requires services of intelligent lady, \$15 per week. Easy work. Apply to J. H. Barber, Dept. H, Globe Co., 723 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. 47c

WANTED—GIRLS FOR LABELING
good wages and constant employment. Lion Spice Mfg. Co. 47c

WANTED—FUR SEWERS—IMME-
DIATELY. Apply to E. F. Wright & Co., 364 Richmond street. 40c

WANTED—DRESSMAKERS—APPLY
to Miss Logan, at Smallman & Ingram's. 40c

WANTED—GIRLS—INCLUDING CHOC-
OLATE DIPERS. D. S. Perrin & Co. 40c

Agents Wanted.

WANTED—SALESMAN; PAY WEEKLY
permanent; must be able to induce agents to new men. Brown Bros. Co., Brown's Nurseries, Ont. 37c xix

AGENTS WANTED—\$30 A WEEK. AP-
PLY Cooper, Drawer 81, London. 40c

Situations Wanted

YOUNG LADY DESIRES POSITION AS
seamstress; good references. Apply Box 3, Advertiser. 47c

Lost and Found.

STOLEN OR STRAYED—YOUNG DOVE
of COLORED greyhound, answers to name of "Zep." A reward will be given for its return to any person keeping it after this date will be prosecuted. George Robinson, 230 St. James street. 47c

LOST—GOLD RING, WITH SETTINGS—
Between 31 Queen street and Green's grocery store, on Friday, Sept. 8, toward at above address. 47c

Bicycle Livery.

YOUR WHEELS CHECKED FOR FIVE
cents while you visit the Fair. New Grandford and Starnes bicycles to rent, delivered free to any part of the city. Cunningham's Bicycle Livery, 1201 Dundas street, East London. Telephone 1201.

Spiritualism.

FREE! FREE! FREE! A FREE CON-
SULTATION to all who desire a reading. Chas. Roberts, the celebrated test, business and healing medium, is now in your city. Are you sick, despondent, in trouble? Come, see, hear and believe. You can get help; if not, it costs you nothing. Tells you at once without asking questions what the trouble is and how to remove it. Hours, 10 to 8 p.m. 306½ Richmond street. Parlor retired; lady attendants.

Palmistry.

LAST CHANCE—SIXTEEN DAYS ONLY.
Palmistry. Wonderful revelations. Bernard House, Room 55, 25c and 50c.

Cash Buyers

Like our prices. They're the lowest in Western Ontario—that's why. And we are showing the largest, the newest, and the best stock of Footwear for Fall that has ever been offered for sale to offer you. Our whole effort is centered upon gathering in the cash trade, and we know that quality and low price will do it every time.
Women's Dongola Button and Lace Boots, 90c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25.
Men's Lace Boots, 90c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25.
We are agents for the Sorosis Shoe, the new American shoe for women—\$4.50 a pair; also for the Packard Shoe, the finest special price shoe made in the States for men—\$4 a pair for all styles.
See our window.

J.P. Cook

173 Dundas Street.

Articles For Sale.

FOR SALE—ROAD CART; ALSO TROT-
TING cart, with bike wheels. Apply W. L. Odell, Odell, Ont. 47c

WELLAND VALE BICYCLES AND
Palmerston Bicycles at cut prices. New Stores and Ranges arriving. Stringer, 141 King street. 37c

\$8.00 BUYS A HARTFORD BICYCLE.
\$10 for a lady's special and a few other makes at very low prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 74 Richmond street, upstairs.

KERNE'S MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE
cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

A BARGAIN—ONE FANCY WALNUT
bowl upright piano, 75c octaves, 3 pedals, full size desk, stool and lamp, only 4 months in use. A snap. Organs \$10 and upwards. Day terms. Heintzman Co., 217 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

FOR SALE—TWO BUGGIES—CHEAP.
Apply 7 Kensington street, after 6 p.m. West London. 47c

SPRINGS AND MATTRESSES—LARGEST
cheapest and best assortment in the city. Keene Bros., Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

THE NEW "ORCHESTRAL" BELL PIANOS
at Bell Piano Warerooms, 138 Dundas street (Anderson's Book Store), Sarnia and Trebilcock.

4 HORSE POWER GAS ENGINE IN
good order. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street, 47c

BUY YOUR SUMMER WOOD
At the new coal and wood yard,
Piccadilly street, west of Richmond street.
Phone 1383.
R. J. WEBSTER.

NEW RIVER SMOKELESS COAL—
Less smoke, less smell, less clinkers, and more heating power to the ton than the best hard coal, and \$1 a ton cheaper. Will burn in furnace, grate, range or heating stove. Satisfaction guaranteed. Try it. Green & Co., Phone 1301.

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIV-
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DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD
jewelry made up to-date at small expense. J. W. Holland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs.

PIGEONS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—
"Homer's" a specialty. Apply for particulars, Box 108, this office. 40c

FOR SALE—ONE SQUARE PIANO ON
easy terms, quantity second-hand pianos, and ranges, bedroom sets, sideboards, extension tables. Parish's store, 357 Talbot street, corner Clarence.

FOR SALE—SUMMER WOOD—AT THE
sawmill, East Bathurst street, Call, or phone 1302, and try a load. D. H. Gillies & Co.

MERRY BELLS—MAKE BELLS
and brass work. Our bells beat metal and equal to any, and cannot be beat. John Law, 121 Clarence street, London.

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BOARD IN EXCELLENT LOCALITY;
private family; conveniences. Apply 413 King street. 40c

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NEWSPAPER PLANT FOR SALE IN
thriving western village, one of the best paying newspaper and job printing businesses in Western Ontario; nearly \$3,000 worth of contracts on hand at present at once; the proprietor is going into the mercantile business. Apply Box 74, Advertiser. 47c

FOR SALE—DWELLING, STORE AND
stock of general merchandise. Also saw and chopping mill. Will sell together or separate. Seven miles from Alvinston. John Grant, Aberfeldy Postoffice. 43c

GROCERY STOCK AND FIXTURES—
Big chance for party starting small business. Apply 78 York street, London. 37c

Real Estate.

FARM FOR SALE—WESTMINSTER
township; 105 acres; first-class improvements; five miles from London. Apply Joseph McDougall, Four Mile. 40c

100 ACRE FARM FOR SALE—ONE OF
the best in Western Ontario, within five miles of city of London. All buildings, good roads. Everything to the Queen's taste. Liberal. Apply to Joseph Brown, Auctioneer and Real Estate Agent, 393 Talbot street. 40c

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES NEAR
Cartersville, Man. for small farm near London. Apply J. F. Sangster, Real Estate Agent, over C. P. R. ticket office. 33c

FOR SALE—NICE BUILDING, LOT 30 or 60
feet, Eliza street, near Adelaide. Apply A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office, corner Dundas and Richmond streets.

FOR SALE—BRICK VERNER COTTAGE—
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Houses, Etc. To Let.

TO LET—NO. 20 PRINCESS AVENUE—
10 room house, furnace, bath, and all modern conveniences. Inquire J. R. Shuttleworth. 47c

For Rent.

FOR RENT—FOR A TERM OF YEARS, IN
a good locality, on King street, a splendidly equipped new brick house, with all modern conveniences, such as electric light, bells, hot water radiators, etc., and four bedrooms, large attic, drawing room, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, summer kitchen, good cellar, bath and soft water; good garden; lawn, stocked with fruit trees. Rent \$25 per month. Apply to J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street. 40c

TO LET—STORE—120 DUNDAS STREET

Apply R. Short, 473 York street. 40c

TO LET—A MEDIUM-SIZED FURNISHED

house. Apply at 515 Talbot street. 40c

TO LET—MOVING VANS—

Latest, best and cheapest. Office 97 Carling street. Phone 1182. Residence 1167.

TO RENT—STORE—NO. 173 DUNDAS

street, formerly occupied by J. P. Cook. Apply at 17 Dundas street. 40c

TO LET—THE UNION FURNITURE VAN

Have your furniture carefully handled. John Bess, Cathart street, South London, late of London Furniture Co.

When Fall Comes....

The hot days will be succeeded by cooler ones. Already the evenings have been shortened up. The leaves are covering the lawns and the boulevards. All the conditions point to an early approach of the fall season. And with it coming it is well to be ready to meet the changed conditions. That light summer suit will not answer many days longer.
Our purpose in drawing your attention to this is that you may have the satisfaction of promptly meeting the coming change and to point out that a fall suit costs no more now than later on in the season. The only difference is that an early call gives opportunity for seeing one of the most complete stocks ever imported to London. We are aware that many of our offerings will not long remain with us.

Deeks & Munson

173 Dundas Street.

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ROSS HOUSE, EAST OF WESTERN FAIR
Hotel, new management of Robert H. Reid. Up-to-date, good standing.

ROYAL HOTEL—OPPOSITE G. T. R. DE-
POT. Central location. First class in every respect. J. D. Fleming, prop.

ALBION HOTEL—157 DUNDAS STREET.
Rates \$1.00 per day. Choicest wines, liquors and cigars. R. E. Joyce, proprietor.

EUROPEAN HOTEL—308 DUNDAS
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ONEIL HOUSE—CORNER TALBOT AND
Wm. Collins, proprietor.

THE ST. LAWRENCE HOTEL—MON-
TRIAL—Centrally located and first-class in every respect. H. Hoxan, proprietor.

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

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TENNENT, McDONAGH & COLERIDGE
—Barristers, solicitors, notaries, etc., 73 Dundas street, London. Money to loan on mortgage, notes and other securities at lowest rates.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS OF \$100 AND
upwards on first mortgage. G. N. Weeks, 401 Richmond street, corner King and Richmond streets.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE
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PRIVATE FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT
on real estate security. Magee, McKillop & Murphy, Solicitors, London.

PRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO LOAN
at 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 per cent on real estate security, in sums to suit. No commission charged. T. W. Scandrett, solicitor, etc., 38 Dundas street, London.

Viavi Treatment.

VIAMI TREATMENT—MRS. L. STEIN,
547 Talbot street, at home Saturdays.

Marriage Licenses.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY
J. G. Shuff, Chemist, office and residence, corner Dundas and William streets. No witnesses required.

R. V. S. SAUNDERS—MARRIAGE
licenses issued; private office, 650 Dundas street, East London. No witnesses.

JOHN M. SHAW ISSUES MARRIAGE
licenses at 100 Dundas street, corner Craig and Wortley road. Residence, 62 Craig.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED—OFFICE
Adkins Jewelry Store, East London. No witnesses required.

LICENSES ISSUED BY THOS. GILLEAN,
plumber, etc., 100 Dundas street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY
W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT
Johnston's Shoe Store, 198 Dundas street. No witnesses required.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT
Strode's Drug Store, 184 Dundas street. Residence, 288 Dufferin avenue.

Wanted.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLE
MEN'S out-of-date clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to.

Business Cards.

GEORGE MCGUIRE, 90 DUNDAS STREET,
plumber, etc. Estimates furnished on application.

D. DODD & CO.—PRACTICAL BUILDERS,
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Legal Cards.

GIBBONS & HARPER—BARRISTERS,
and Solicitors, Office, corner Richmond and Carling streets. George C. Gibbons, Q.C., Fred. F. Harper.

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TERS, solicitors, notaries, etc., Offices, London, Stratford and Glencoe. Alex. Stuart, Duncan Stuart, Duncan C. Ross, LL.B. London offices, corner Dundas and Richmond streets. Stratford office, 100 Dundas street.

JARVIS & VINING—BARRISTERS, ETC.,
101 Dundas street. C. G. Jarvis; Jared Vining, B.A.

H. A. BEATTIE—BARRISTER, ETC.,
101 Dundas street. Money to loan on real estate at lowest rates.

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TERS, solicitors; 402 Ridout street, opposite court house. Telephone 679. Money to loan. J. M. McVeoy, LL.B., H. C. Pope, LL.B., F. E. Perrin, B.A.

LOVE & DIGNAN—BARRISTERS, ETC.,
101 Dundas street, London. Francis Love, R.H. Dignan.

W. H. BARTRAM—BARRISTER, SOLIC-
ITOR, etc., Office, 99 Dundas street.

T. W. SCANDRETT—BARRISTER, SO-
LICITOR, etc., 18 Dundas street, London.

PARKE, PURDON & PURDON—BARRIS-
TERS, solicitors, 100 Dundas street, corner Parke, Q.C., T. H. Purdon, Alexander Purdon.

GREENLEES & BECHER—BARRISTERS,
etc., Canadian Loan Company Building, Richmond street, London. Private funds to loan. A. Greenlees, B.A., H. C. Becher.

T. H. LUSCOMBE—BARRISTER, SOLICI-
TOR, etc., 109 Dundas street, near Richmond street.

U. A. BUCHNER—BARRISTER, ETC.,
5 Dundas street, London. Telephone 59. Money to loan at lowest rates.

MAGEE, MCKILLOP & MURPHY—BAR-
RISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc., Office, corner Richmond and Dundas, London; James Magee, Q.C., J. B. McKillop, Thomas J. Murphy, Philip E. Mackenzie LL.B.

Rain has improved the crop outlook

In Western India, and the fears of a famine have been removed. The weather conditions forecast show more rain.

THE OUTLOOK

MORE PEACEFUL

But the Transvaal Exodus Has Not Stopped.

Britain's Control Over the South African Republic the Really Important Matter.

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MORE PEACEFUL ASPECT.

Although the aspect of affairs is more peaceable, the special dispatches from Johannesburg report the greatest anxiety there. Fifteen hundred people left town Saturday, and it is proposed to transfer the business of the stock exchange to Cape Town. The Johannesburg town council is appealing to the government for power to start relief works to meet the exodus of the distressed.

BUT WARLIKE MOVEMENTS GO ON.

A dispatch from Bloemfontein reports the distribution of arms and a considerable exodus to Cape Colony. According to this correspondent, the Boers are massing on the frontiers, and there is no abatement of war preparations in the Transvaal.

It is understood that Gen. Sir Redvers-Buller will start to Cape Town on Saturday next. The Indian authorities chartering steamers to transport troops to South Africa as rapidly as possible.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL

The whole world condemns the Dreyfus verdict.

Shipping lost \$250,000 daily while the blockade lasted.

The idea of boycotting the Paris Exposition is widely broached in Europe.

Many High Church Anglican clergymen refuse to obey the bishops' orders.

A new Roman Catholic Church, costing \$500 and seating 400 is being built in Brantford.

British delegates to the Congregationalist world conference at Boston are arriving out.

Timothy Eaton, the big Toronto departmental store man, had his thigh broken in a runaway.

New Zealand's gold output the past seven months was increased \$1,262,555 over the same period last year.

Rev. Armstrong Black, the new pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, has arrived from England.

A large party of British Congregationalists are on their way to the international council at Boston.

A rumor is current in Rhodesia, that an European exploring party has been massacred near Lake Tanganyika.

A petition is being circulated for presentation to Ottawa praying for the dismissal of Lieut.-Governor McInnes.

Russia has restrained Turkey from mounting pneumatic dynamite guns on the Black Sea entrance to the Baltic.

Two children were killed and four injured by an electric car running into a wagon load of school children at St. Louis.

The Wabash Railway has commenced the use of compressed air in their round house at St. Thomas, for power purposes.

Lady Aberdeen has notified the officers of the Women's Council that she will be at Ottawa for the meeting in October.

The governors of the John H. Stratford Hospital, Brantford, will enlarge the present building and add an isolation hospital.

A dozen lives were lost in the heavy shipwreck over the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and demolished many fishing and coasting craft from Cape Breton to Quebec.

Capt. Norwood, mining inspector of Yukon, who has been in Ottawa for some time, received from Dawson yesterday a letter which was just 17 days on the way.

Harry, aged 14, son of Mr. N. P. Clark, of Omeneh, in descending from an apple tree, fell headfirst from a ladder, and a lighting on his hands, broke both arms at the wrists.

A plucky chambermaid named Maud Barry at the Rossin House, Toronto, made a clever capture of a sneak thief Sunday night. He was prowling around and she locked him up in a room till help came.

Skaguay's rival, Gateway City, is to be moved across the river. All the buildings worth anything are to be shipped over the bay on scows.

The westbound Pacific express, which was held up near Cochise, Arizona, arrived at Los Angeles on time. The express car time, received from Dawson, was killed and six others injured.

A freight and a passenger train on the Indianapolis division of the Pennsylvania Railway, collided a few miles west of Richmond, Ind., Saturday night, and freight brakeman Clarkson was killed and six others injured.

During a heavy thunderstorm which passed near Palermo, Ont., on Friday, Mr. David Birtch, a farmer, had a valuable team of horses struck and instantly killed by lightning. His son, in charge of the team, was partially paralyzed.

Can a woman serve on a jury?

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To Be the Only Piano Manufacturers
To Her Majesty the Queen in Canada



 You Should See and Hear the Elegant Pianos at Our Exhibit at the London Fair.

TESTIMONY FROM THE KING PIANIST, PROF. S. MAZURETTE.

London, Sept. 12, 1899.

THE R. S. WILLIAMS & SONS, Toronto.

Gentlemen,—It is an extreme pleasure to me to speak of your valuable Pianos. I give you my appreciation of their merit with sincerity as an artist. I find the tone rich, of fine singing quality, the tone remarkable and free, which enables me to render the most difficult pieces with ease. The sonority is simply grand, the power is well balanced through the scale. It is a great treat for an artist to perform on them. After playing on them all day at the London Fair, I consider your instrument very superior in all points required for a first-class Piano, and you can rest assured that your instrument stands in your country without a rival, and would take a very prominent place in the United States, among the first-class American Pianos. Wishing you all the success you so well deserve, for having brought before the world a perfect Piano in all respects—this is my honest opinion.

I remain cordially,

S. MAZURETTE,

Concert Pianist and Composer.

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the
Best



A Few Facts
Why the
Williams
Piano
Is the Best...

- 1st.—It is made by the wealthiest piano firm in the world.
- 2nd.—It is the oldest firm in Canada.
- 3rd.—It has the best facilities for manufacture, having the largest factories in the world.
- 4th.—The material used in the Williams piano is of the highest quality money can buy.
- 5th.—All the felt and steel wire are purchased in England, from the best makers in the world.
- 6th.—There are more Williams Pianos through Canada than all the other piano firms combined.

The Queen's
Testimony.

"Williams, Piano Makers
to the Queen."

Liverpool, Nov. 18, 1888.

Messrs. R. S. Williams & Son,
143 Yonge street, Toronto.

Gentlemen,—I am pleased to inform you that her Majesty the Queen has chosen one of your pianos for Windsor Castle. The selection was made by Mr. Dyson, of Messrs. Dyson & Sons, Windsor, specially appointed tuner to the Queen, their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and the Duke and Duchess of Albany. Mr. Dyson was so well pleased with your pianos that he purchased two for himself, and I beg to congratulate you on my being able to dispose of these pianos for you in such good hands.

I have no doubt that you will now call yourselves "Piano manufacturers to her Majesty the Queen of England."

Yours truly,

W. H. BELLOW,

Commercial Agent for Canada at the Colonial Exhibition.

If You Wish to Own a Good and Reliable Piano Read This:

To meet the steadily increasing demand for the Williams Pianos, and especially with a view to fall trade, I have contracted for several carloads of these now most popular instruments, which are with justice termed the People's Favorite Piano. These Pianos are arriving daily, and to make room for the fresh stock I have decided to let everything go at a little over factory cost. I have always in stock a splendid assortment of the various styles, all the newest, most elegant and fashionable designs, and will make the terms very easy for those who are not prepared to pay cash. In fact, buyers may have their own way with me this month. All who are interested in Pianos are cordially invited to call and see me and look through my elegant stock of fall bargains. I will be glad to meet you at my warerooms or at my stand at the Fair Grounds, whether you come to buy or not, and I think I can persuade you that I can save you at least \$100 on the purchase price of a Reliable Piano and give you more reasonable terms than any firm.

The King Pianist and Composer, Prof S Mazurette, Will be in Attendance at the Williams Exhibit, Fair Grounds, to Render Some of His Choicest and Sparkling Selections Upon His Favorite Piano, the "Williams."

Friends, Patrons and Intending Purchasers are Invited to Call at the Williams Stand, Fair Grounds, Where They May Hear the Rare Qualities of the Williams Piano.

Williams' MUSIC HOUSE

171 DUNDAS STREET, LONDON.

B. WILLIAMS, Proprietor.

"THE POPULARITY OF Apollinaris"

("THE QUEEN OF TABLE WATERS")

is chiefly due to its irreproachable character."

The Times.

"DRINK NOTHING but Natural Mineral Water, such as Apollinaris, free from all vegetable poisons."

Boston Journal.

DIDN'T DARE TO ACQUIT DREYFUS

His Military Judges Feared to Do Him Justice.

The Victim of Army Conspirators Sentenced to Ten Years' Imprisonment.

He May Be Pardoned, or His Former Term of Imprisonment Counted in Place of the One Just Imposed.

London, Sept. 11.—Capt. Alfred Dreyfus was found guilty Saturday afternoon by the court-martial of treachery to France.

The sentence imposed upon the prisoner was ten years' imprisonment in a fortress. The judges stood five for conviction and two for acquittal.

Capt. Dreyfus heard the sentence in an ante-room to which he had been taken when court was reconvened. He received it stoically and was taken back to his cell. Before the judges left the court room to decide upon the sentence he had again reaffirmed his innocence.

No disturbance was made in the court room or in the streets surrounding the Lyceum when the decision was given. It is said that as Dreyfus has been condemned to ten years' detention, and as he has already suffered five years' solitary imprisonment, which counts as double the ordinary detention, he will be released at the end of a fortnight.

In the meanwhile, unless the president of the republic pardons him, which many think certain as being the only solution of the present situation, Dreyfus will have to be degraded here again within eight days.

When the verdict of the court was announced, the frequenters rose to their feet and demand that the string band

which plays on the terrace should give the "Marseillaise." The band struck up the air, and the crowds, both inside and out, joined in the national song.

JOUST WAS CHEERED.

Col. Jouaust passed by a little later, on foot and in full uniform, on his way from the Lyceum to his home. The crowd, with bared heads, cheered him, crying, "Vive l'Armee." Col. Jouaust, in reply to their cheers, saluted with his hand to his kepi.

About 8 p.m. a crowd gathered at the Cafe de la Paix and in the square beside it and the adjacent street.

Just then an incident occurred at the Hotel Moderne, which is known as the Dreyfusard center. Two men, notorious anti-Dreyfusards, entered the winter garden inside the hotel and sat down at one of the little marble tables under the palm trees, and ordered coffee. At an adjoining table sat La Dame Blanche with a companion, while at other tables were seated MM. Bernard, Lazare, and Forzinetti, with other Dreyfusards.

The newcomers at once began to make offensive remarks about Dreyfus and Jews generally. One of them, turning to La Dame Blanche, said: "Oh, these dirty Jews, these dirty Dreyfusards."

La Dame Blanche replied, telling him not to address her. The men, however, persisted, and added personal insults, whereupon La Dame Blanche became greatly excited and called them cads to insult a woman. The men retorted offensively, and in a moment La Dame Blanche snatched a menu card in a heavy metal frame and threw it at the head of her insulter, narrowly missing him.

PLACE BECAME PERFECT BABEL.

The other diners, seeing trouble, rose en masse and threatened to throw the men out of the garden. In an instant the place became a perfect babel, everyone shouting at the top of his voice, calling the men cowards and "canaille." The women present hastily withdrew, Madame Lazare being carried away in a fainting condition.

Just as the threatened free fight was on the point of breaking out, a detachment of gendarmes arrived and, after a scene of intense excitement, put the men who had caused the disturbance into the street. The men then proceeded to the terrace of the Cafe de la Paix, which was now crammed with

anti-Dreyfusards, and there gave their own version of the row, and in a few moments an anti-Dreyfusard demonstration was in full swing.

THE PEOPLE SITTING AT THE TABLES ROSE WITH SHOUTS OF "DOWN WITH THE JEWS" AND "VIVE L'ARMEE," AND DEMANDS THAT THE BAND PLAY THE "MARSEILLAISE."

The band was obliged to comply with the demand, and the crowd bawled the "Marseillaise" at the top of their voices, altering the words to "March on, march on against the Jews." Sticks, canes and hats were waved, and then the crowd chanted "Vive l'Armee, Vive l'Armee, Conspuez les Juifs."

Finally one man waved his hat and shouted. Let us march on the Hotel Moderne. The crowd showed a strong disposition to follow this advice. Two Englishmen, who were sitting in the cafe, were recognized as foreigners, and the crowd there hustled them out.

TROOPS CLEARED THE CAFE.

At this moment the cry "Police" was raised, and an instant later a strong body of gendarmes and police, headed by detectives, rushed into the cafe and cleared everyone out. At the same time several squadrons of mounted gendarmes and dragons with carbines slung across their backs, galloped up and threw themselves across the road leading to the Hotel Moderne. Other detachments of cavalry cordoned all the approaches to the cafe, and closed in the crowd, and drove them like cattle across the bridge over the river, and into the upper part of the town, which was filled with shouts of "Vive l'Armee" and "Down with the Jews."

Scenes of great excitement occurred at Rennes Saturday night. The anti-Dreyfusards broke loose and started a demonstration which, but for the prompt and rigorous measures by the police, would undoubtedly have developed into serious disorders.

CLOSING SCENES AS EXPECTED.

The expected happened. Dreyfus was condemned, but though a majority of those in the court room fully expected the verdict, they were completely stupefied when it was given, and the silence which prevailed in the room, and the way the men turned pale and their breath more impressive than their words, could have been.

M. Demange sank back in his chair, and tears trickled down his cheeks, and Maitre Labori turned white as a sheet, while all around the court men looked at each other in silence. Positively the only sound to be heard was the rustling of papers from the reporters' benches as each press representative tried to be first to send the news.

ME WEPT.

As the audience left the court room fully ten or eleven men were crying openly, and the majority of those present walked quietly down the street for more than a block without speaking a word. It was like a funeral procession.

Meanwhile, a tragedy was being enacted in the little room off the court room where Dreyfus listened to the reading of the verdict. He had been told the result by his lawyers, and had wept bitterly, but when in the presence of the officials of the court-martial he listened impassively to the sentence.

DREYFUS' BRAVE WIFE.

His wife, who was waiting in torture and suspense at her house, bore the news bravely, and when visiting her husband in the afternoon, showed the onlookers no sign of her suffering as she walked from her carriage to the prison.

Mathieu Dreyfus was not in court in the afternoon, but visited his brother after the verdict had been rendered. He found him perfectly calm and without any manifestation of surprise at the finding of the court. The prisoner simply shrugged his shoulders, uttering an expressive "Bah," adding, as he

embraced his brother as the latter was preparing to leave, "Console my wife."

MAY BE PARDONED.

The general belief is that Dreyfus will be pardoned; but this will not satisfy his friends, who vehemently declare that they will refuse to accept the verdict and will continue the battle until the judgment is reversed. The verdict, they say, is directed more against the Jews than against Dreyfus, and if allowed to stand, will make their existence in France impossible. Maitre Demange and Maitre Labori will at once sign an application for a revision of the case, although there is no hope that the verdict will be reversed. Both are much upset, though it can hardly be said that they are surprised.

DEMANGE'S CLOSING WORDS.

"My task is now completed. It is for you to do yours, I pray God," exclaimed Demange, lifting his arms toward heaven, "I pray God that you will restore to our France the concord of which she has so much need." Then, turning to the audience, in which every eye was fixed upon him, he said: "As to you, whoever you may be, Frenchmen, be you with me or against me, finding inspiration in the sublime idea of M. Morand before the court of cassation, I say to all, we are Frenchmen. Let us then be united in the common sentiment of love of country, love of justice, and love of army."

As he reached this climax, his voice swelled like the tones of an organ. The close of his impassioned peroration was followed by an outburst of applause which was immediately suppressed by the president.

DREYFUS SPEAKS.

Col. Jouaust, president of the court, asked Dreyfus if he had anything to add in his behalf. The prisoner rose, and in a voice choked with emotion, declared he had only one thing to say, but that he was perfectly assured.

"I affirm before my country and before the army that I am innocent. My sole aim has been to save the honor of my name, the name borne by my children. I have suffered five years of the most awful torture. But, today, at last, I feel assured, that I am about to attain my desire, through your loyalty and justice."

Col. Jouaust—Have you finished, Dreyfus?

Dreyfus—Yes, M. President. The court then retired to deliberate, and the prisoner left the hall, never to return, as, in accordance with the law, the verdict was rendered in his absence.

The ringing of a bell announced the return of the judges, an officer cried aloud his orders, the rattle of rifles followed, and then Col. Jouaust marched in, saluted, and laid his kepi on the table. The other judges did likewise, and the gendarmes shouted "Silence," and the stillness of death fell on the audience.

THE JUDGMENT.

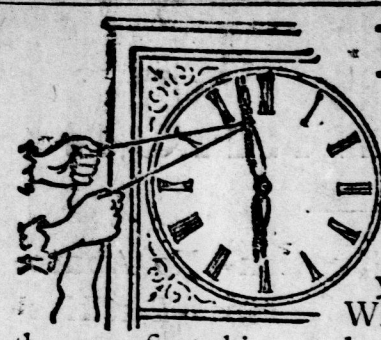
Col. Jouaust then began reading the judgment, which opened with the question referred to the judges by the court of cassation: "Was Dreyfus guilty of entering into machinations to send secret documents to a foreign power?"

The court declares on the question by a majority of five votes to two, "Yes." The majority agreed that there are extenuating circumstances, in consequence of which, and on the request of the commissary of the government, the president put the question and received again the votes in the above-mentioned form. As a result, the court

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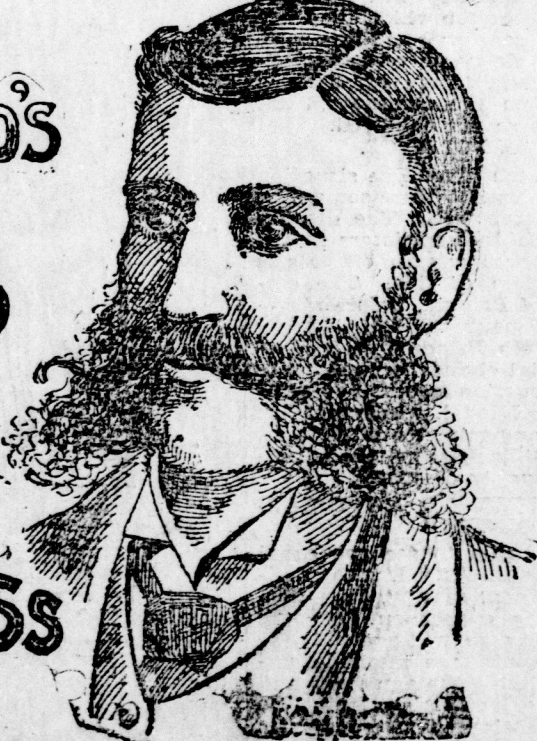
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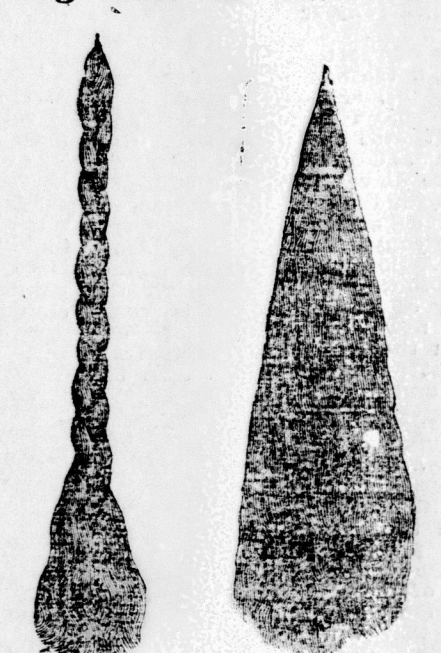


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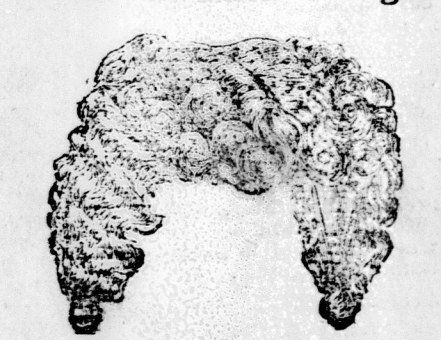
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NATIONAL LEAGUE—SATURDAY.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
Boston 0 1 2
Brooklyn 4 7 1
Batteries—Meekin and Bergen; McManis and McGuire.

At Philadelphia—
Philadelphia 13 10 1
Washington 6 10 5
Batteries—Donohue and Douglass; Weyhing and Kittredge.

At New York—First game—
New York 1 8 2
Baltimore 2 4 0
Batteries—Seymour and Warner; McGinnity and Smith.

At New York—Second game—
New York 6 13 7
Baltimore 7 9 2
Batteries—Doheny and Doyle; Nops and Crisheim.

At Chicago—First game—
Chicago 5 15 4
Cleveland 2 5 0
Batteries—Callahan and Chance; Schmidt and Duncan.

At Chicago—Second game—
Chicago 11 15 0
Cleveland 0 6 8
Batteries—Garvin and Donohue; Bates and Sugden.

At Pittsburgh—First game—
Pittsburgh 10 15 2
Louisville 13 14 7
Batteries—Sparks, Loefer and Fox; Woods, Flaherty and Zimmer.

At Pittsburgh—Second game—
Pittsburgh 5 7 2
Louisville 1 6 3
Batteries—Hoffer and Schriver; Woods and Powers.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis 11 15 1
Cincinnati 6 6 2
Batteries—Sudhoff and Griger; Breitenstein, Phillips and Peitz.

NATIONAL LEAGUE—SUNDAY.

At Cincinnati—First game—R. H. E.
Cincinnati 10 17 1
Cleveland 2 7 2
Batteries—Frisk and Peitz; Cauldwell and McAllister.

At Cincinnati—Second game—
Cincinnati 8 16 5
Louisville 7 11 1
Batteries—Hawley and Wood; Cunningham and Zimmer.

EASTERN LEAGUE—SATURDAY.

At Montreal—R. H. E.
Montreal 7 9 1
Toronto 4 10 1
Batteries—Felix, Duggieby and Moran; Alloway and Butler.

At Syracuse—
Syracuse 4 9 1
Rochester 1 8 1
Batteries—Bishop and Steelman; Morse and Smink.

At Providence (First Game)—
Hartford 12 16 3
Providence 2 7 5
Batteries—Hudson and Urquhart; Dunkle and Lamar.

At Providence (Second Game)—
Hartford 10 3
Providence 6 9 1
Batteries—Schrist and Urquhart; Croyn and Lamar.

At Worcester (First Game)—
Worcester 4 8 5
Springfield 1 5 1
Batteries—Miller and Bransfield; Baker and Gunson.

At Worcester (Second Game)—
Worcester 7 6 4
Springfield 3 10 2
Batteries—Horton and Bransfield; McDermott, Pappalau and Gunson.

EASTERN LEAGUE—SUNDAY.

At Montreal—R. H. E.
Toronto 8 13 8
Montreal 7 5 1
Batteries—Best, Alloway and Butler; Murphy, Souder, Duggieby and Moran.

At Providence—
Providence 13 15 5
Hartford 9 10 1
Batteries—Braun and Lamar; Knell and Urquhart.

WESTERN LEAGUE—SATURDAY.

At Buffalo—First game—Kansas City, 4; Buffalo, 1. Second game—Kansas City, 5; Buffalo, 2.

At Indianapolis—First game—Indianapolis, 3; Milwaukee, 1. Second game—Indianapolis, 3; Milwaukee, 1.

At Grand Rapids—St. Paul, 6; Grand Rapids, 5.

WESTERN LEAGUE—SUNDAY.

At Detroit—Minneapolis, 8; Detroit, 7.

At Grand Rapids—First game—Grand Rapids, 3; St. Paul, 2. Second game—Grand Rapids, 4; St. Paul, 1.

At Rome, N. Y.—R. H. E.
Rome 19 22 5
Rochester 2 8 7
Batteries—Wheeler and Stroph; Bowen and Smink.

At Albany—
Albany 12 11 7
Springfield 5 9 9
Batteries—Talbot, Boker and Rafter; Pappalau and Phelps.

THE AMATEURS.

Windsor, Sept. 11.—Walkerville won an interesting game from the O. K.'s Saturday. Deneau, who pitched for the Canadians, held the Detroiters to one hit, but his bases on balls were costly. Score:

Walkerville R. H. E.
O. K.'s 4 10 2
Batteries—Deneau and Beecroft; Lennie and Stark.

FOUR INNINGS.

Windsor, Sept. 11.—The printers and

reporters of Windsor played another game of ball on Ouellette avenue, Saturday afternoon. The game was brought to an abrupt end by Marcot, one of the reporters, knocking the cover off the ball. A collection was started to purchase another ball, but the players said it was not pay day, and only 5 cents was subscribed. As a ball could not be bought for this amount, it was decided to postpone the game until next Saturday. An incident of the game was Macpherson, one of the reporters, going to sleep in right field in the third inning. The score was 7 to 5 in favor of the printers. Batteries—Reporters, Cady and Marcot; printers, Mason and McKee. Attendance 1,000. Umpire, Ernie Vollans. Official water boy, Charles Mahoney.

FOR THE FANS.

Detroit Free Press: Bert Sheere, secretary of the London, Ont., club, and Pete Lohman, manager and catcher of the same team, were in Detroit yesterday conferring with the local magnates on the proposed purchase of some minor league stars.

CRICKET.

LONDON ASYLUM VS. AYLMER. Following is the full score of the Aylmer-London cricket game played at Aylmer on Monday last:

London Asylum, c Kingston, b Monteith 9
J. Labatt, b Caughell 0
W. Sippi, b Monteith 3
F. Reid, not out 38
G. McLaren, b Caughell 3
J. Flynn, c Bingham, b Monteith 0
H. Kerrigan, b Monteith 0
G. W. Carver, c Bingham, b Smith 0
T. Macfie, c and b Smith 0
J. Goodwin, b Bingham 0
W. Wang, c Sinclair, c Bingham 0
Extras 7
Total 72

Aylmer—
E. Caughell, c Reid, b Sippi 4
W. Kingston, b Sippi 0
Dr. Sinclair, b Reid 2
W. Sippi, c Macfie, b Sippi 0
C. Sinclair, b Reid 0
C. Paupst, b England 43
G. B. Smith, b England 9
E. C. Monteith, c Labatt, b McLaren 17
A. B. Smith, b Reid 0
G. Baugh, not out 0
G. Bingham, c Macfie, b England 2
Extras 13
Total 100

LACROSSE.

TORONTO VS. CORNWALL. Toronto, Sept. 11.—The Toronto lacrosse club Saturday afternoon wound up the championship season on the home grounds by defeating the Cornwall by 3 goals to 2.

KENNEL.

WINNIPEG DOG WON. Morris, Man., Sept. 11.—At the field trials, Bang, a Winnipeg dog, owned by A. Code, captured the all-aged event. Fifteen American and five Canadian dogs competed.

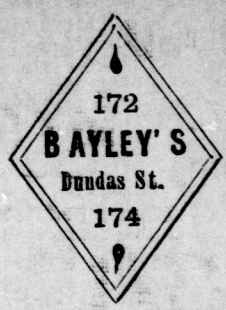
AQUATIC.

FOR THE PRINCE OF WALES' CUP. Toronto, Sept. 11.—The R. C. Y. C. wound up their season Saturday afternoon, when the Prince of Wales cup was sailed for. Five yachts competed. The cup was won by Mr. Geo. H. Goodenham's new schooner, the Clorita.

WHEEL.

RACING AT HAZLETON. Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 11.—The national circuit bicycle meet, held here Saturday, attracted a large number of the country's best riders, but the track

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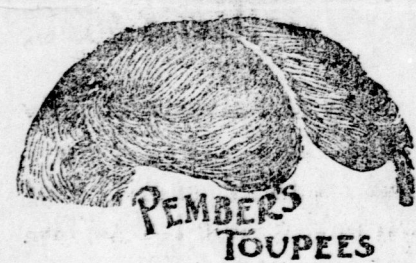
Private Banking Firm at Stratford
Closes Its Door.

Stratford, Ont., Sept. 11.—The private banking firm of Wm. Mowat & Son has made an assignment to John Brown, M.P.P. Owing to rumors affecting the standing of the institution there has been a steady run on the funds of the bank by depositors for several months, the culmination being the issuance of a writ for \$2,239.39, on behalf of one of the principal depositors. A statement by Mr. Mowat shows assets at \$15,376, liabilities as \$70,655, giving a surplus of over \$45,000. While

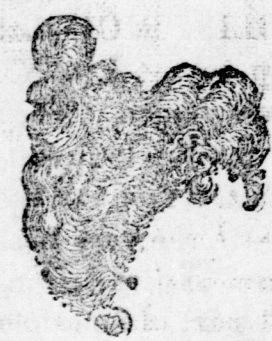
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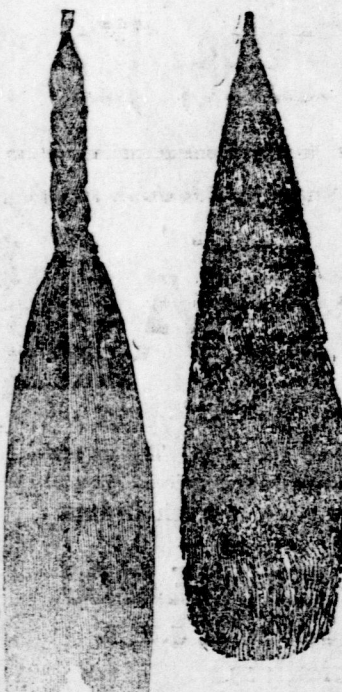
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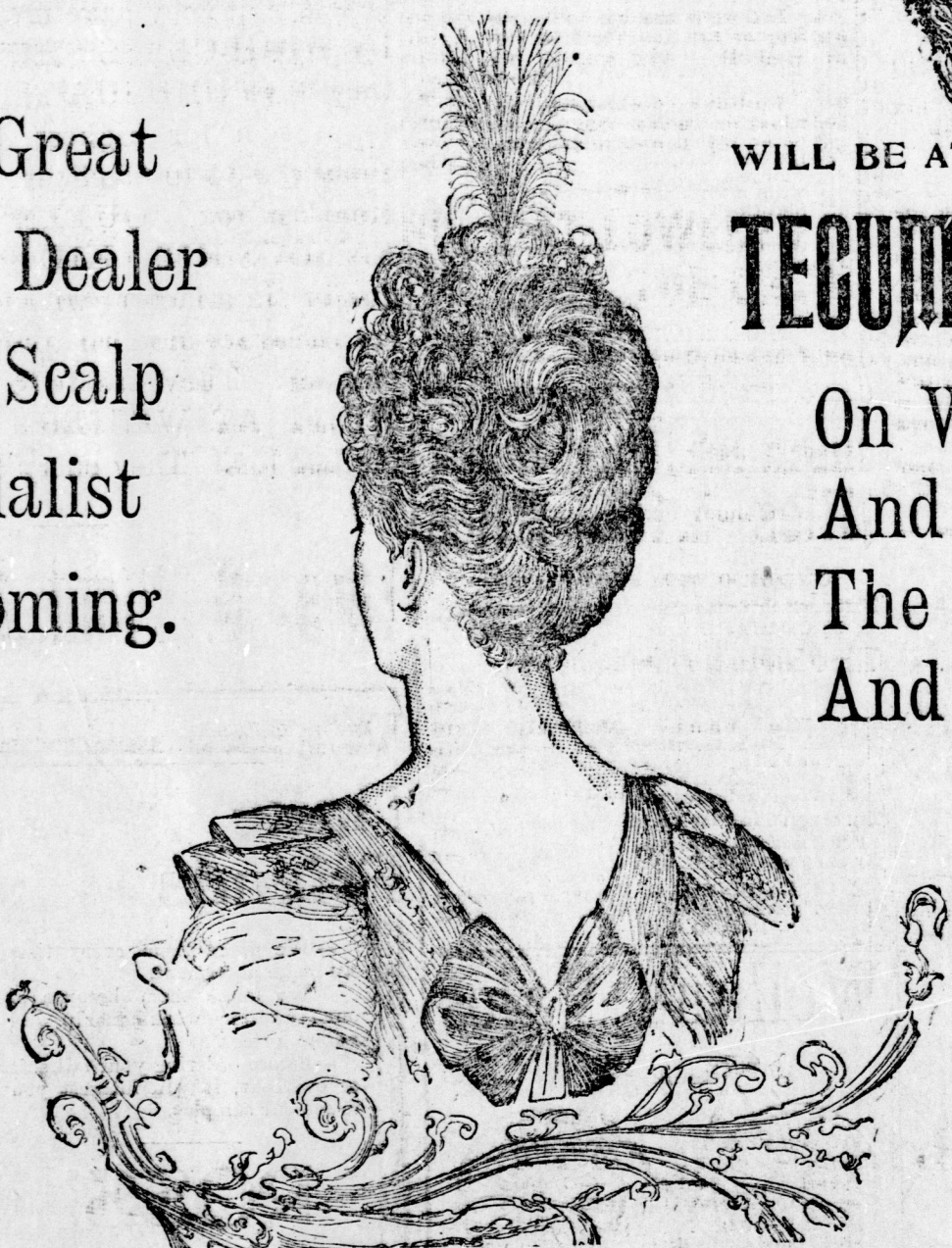
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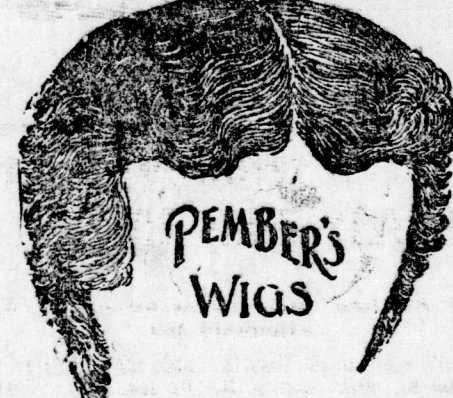
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THE MARKETS.

Local Market.

A. M. HAMILTON & SON'S REPORT.

London, Monday, Sept. 11.

Wheat, new, per bu. 63c to 65c
Wheat, white, per bu. 67c to 69c
Wheat, red, per bu. 67c to 69c
Wheat, spring, per bu. 67c to 69c
Oats, per bu. 27c to 29c
Peas, per bu. 42c to 44c
Corn, per bu. 42c to 44c
Barley, per bu. 35c to 40c
Rye, per bu. 56c to 58c
Beans, per bu. 70c to 80c

There was a dull session today; very little grain came in and prices in all lines were unchanged from Saturday. A shipment of live hogs showed a price paid being \$4.25 for choice singlers.

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American Markets.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—The verdict in the Dreyfus case and consequent excitement in Paris saved wheat from a decline today. The market closing unchanged for December. Domestic and European statistics tended toward lower prices early in the day. Corn continued to decline and closed 1/4c lower. Oats declined 1/4c for September and unchanged for December. Provisions were about 2 1/2c lower. The market was affected in a bearish way by the increase of 150,000 bu. on the European visible for August, compared with a decline for the year of 1,500,000 bu. The big Russian stocks, \$89,000 bu., also came as a surprise and were responsible for some liquidation. Northwest receipts were 916 cars, against 638 last week, and 1,128 a year ago. Chicago receipts were 139 cars. Total primary receipts were 1,183,000 bu. compared with 1,254,000 bu. a year ago. New York reported a fair export demand, with about thirty cargoes.

The leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—Sept., 70 1/2c; Dec., 71 1/2c; May, 74 1/2c to 75c. Corn—Sept., 41 1/2c; Dec., 42 1/2c; May, 45 1/2c to 46c. Oats—Sept., 27 1/2c; Dec., 28 1/2c; May, 31 1/2c to 32c. Pork—Oct., \$3.65; Dec., \$3.75; Jan., \$3.85. Lard—Oct., \$5.75; Dec., \$5.85; Jan., \$5.95. Cash quotations—Flour, steady; winter patents, \$3.50 to \$3.60; straight, \$3.10 to \$3.20; spring special, \$4.20; spring patents, \$4.10 to \$4.20. No. 2 spring wheat 60c to 62c; No. 2 red, 72c; No. 3 corn, 51c; No. 2 yellow corn, 42c; No. 2 white, 43c; No. 2 white, 43c; No. 2 white, 43c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.10; No. 2 flaxseed, \$1.05. Prime timothy seed, \$2.25 to \$2.75. Clover, \$2.50 to \$3.00. Alfalfa, \$2.00 to \$2.50. Sugar, cut, \$5.50; granulated, \$5.50. Sugar, 100 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 50 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 25 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 12 1/2 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 6 1/4 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 3 1/8 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 1 5/16 lbs., \$5.50. Sugar, 3/4 lb., \$5.50. 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DIDN'T DARE TO
ACQUIT DREYFUS

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condemns, by a majority of five votes to two, Alfred Dreyfus to the punishment of ten years' detention."

The pent-up feelings of the audience were expressed in a long, deep-drawn "Oh," when Col. Jouaust reached the word "guilty." Owing to the threat of vigorous punishment for uttering any cry, there was no outburst, but the faces of the majority of the spectators reflected an expression of anguished surprise.

M. Labori heard the verdict with a pallid visage, while M. Demange fell back in a chair as though horror-struck.

RUSH OF THE REPORTERS.

The silence was immediately broken by a rush of the reporters to drop their previously prepared telegrams into the box, opening into the street, where a gendarme received them, and gave them to the respective messengers for transmission by wire. This noise called forth a stern cry of "Silence, silence," and again all sound was hushed until Col. Jouaust finished speaking. He concluded by saying the court would remain sitting until the room was cleared. He asked the audience to go out quietly and not to raise a shout of any kind.

NO CRY OR WORD.

The gendarmes then closed around the audience and pressed them outside. Not a cry or a word was raised by anyone. Everything passed off with complete calm. As the people emerged the gendarmes kept them moving away from the court. The small crowd of people outside cheered for the army, but the gendarmes did not interfere, and there was not the slightest disorder.

The judgment was read to Dreyfus in an adjoining little room by the clerk of the court, M. Coups. Dreyfus listened impassively, did not give the slightest sign of emotion, did not utter a word, and marched back to prison like an automaton. It is understood Dreyfus

will be sent to Fort Corte, in the Island of Corsica.

PRESS OPINIONS.

Paris, Sept. 11.—M. Clemenceau, in the *Aurore*, says Col. Jouaust's object was to save the general staff, and that between Dreyfus and Mercier he selected Mercier. Members of the tribunal, M. Clemenceau asserts, were convinced that Dreyfus was innocent, but were anxious to extend extenuating circumstances to Mercier and to other generals.M. Cornely, in the *Figaro*, holds that the verdict by reducing the original term of imprisonment, shows that the campaign for revision was legitimate. M. Cornely adds that he believes that when Col. Jouaust refused to hear Col. Schwartzkoppen, former German military attaché in Paris, and Col. Panizardi, the Italian military attaché, the president of the court was certain of Dreyfus' innocence. The tribunal hesitated between Dreyfus and Mercier, and replied neither yes or no.The anti-Dreyfus newspapers received contemptuously the statement published in the official portion of the *Berlin Reichsanzeiger* concerning the Dreyfus case.The *Echo de Paris* says: The German Government has made a last attempt to save the traitor.The *Petit Journal* says the court-martial will attach the same importance to the statement as it would to a declaration by Dreyfus himself.

FEELING AGAINST DREYFUS.

At about 5 o'clock Saturday there was exhibited to an enormous crowd a placard on which were the words "Vive l'Armée," which indicated that the verdict was anti-Dreyfus. The announce-

ment was greeted with a deep hue of approval and joy. The *Libre Parole* announced that Dreyfus had been condemned to imprisonment for life.

The edition was absolutely torn from the hands of the vendors. It was almost impossible to hear opinions friendly to the prisoner. The masses were undoubtedly hostile to Dreyfus. But in private circles the verdict was criticised in strong terms.

The anti-revisionists continued to issue editions suppressing the fact that Dreyfus was condemned to only ten years' detention.

NO BOAT LOWERED
TO SAVE THE CREW

Four Men and a Woman Drowned Who Might Have Been Saved.

Milwaukee, Sept. 11.—Capt. Richard Freeman and Nelson Algure, the sole survivors of the wreck of the Canadian schooner *Lisgar*, which foundered on Lake Huron last week, arrived here on Saturday on the steamer *Casa*. They were rescued by the crew of the *Casa*. They give the list of the persons on the *Lisgar* as follows:

Owen Gallagher, first mate, 34 years old; unmarried; of St. Catharines, Ont.

Patrick Joyce, seaman, 44 years old; unmarried; of St. Catharines, Ont.

Frank Douglass, seaman, aged 32 years; unmarried; of Kingston, Ont.

Mrs. Richard Freeman, wife of the captain, 23 years old; of St. Catharines, Ont.

Unknown seaman, 23 years old, of Hamilton, Ont.

Capt. Freeman and Algure drifted around Lake Huron in an open boat for 91 hours before being picked up. The officer of the *Casa* says the crews of the *Clinton* and *Grimby* ought to have been able to save the men on the *Lisgar*. Not a boat was lowered, it is said, although the *Grimby* sailed within 90 feet of the sinking boat. The *Lisgar* foundered in a minute.

Volcanic Eruptions.

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FAGGED OUT—None but those who have become fagged out know what a depressed, miserable feeling it is. All strength has gone, and despondency has taken hold of the sufferers. They feel as though there was nothing to live for. There, however, is a cure—one box of *Farmer's Vegetable Pills* will do wonders in restoring health and strength. Mandrake and Dandelion after two of the articles entering into the composition of *Farmer's*A BRAVE BOY
OF NINE YEARS

Kept His Presence of Mind and Saved His Playmate.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 9.—The bravest man in all Grand Rapids to-night is 9-year-old Oscar Vansingle, who lives at 167 Livingston street. Alone and unaided, except by indomitable pluck and rare presence of mind, he saved a little comrade's life this afternoon.

The comrade is Harry Ballard, also 9 years old. The two boys were playing in a little gravel pit, and with fire-shovels they had dug a hole all of four feet deep. The little Ballard had laid down in this just as the whole side caved in upon him.

Vansingle turned white, but he did not run away to give the alarm and leave his playmate to die. The grave was in a lump. With his shovel he broke it apart and dug until he had Ballard's head in free air. Then he ran for help.

Ballard was slightly sick, but will recover.

BEAR WENT THROUGH A LADY'S
POCKETBOOK.

Detroit, Sept. 11.—Mrs. Sweet, of Owosso, wife of Rev. John Sweet, who is visiting in this city, took a trip to Belle Isle Saturday afternoon. While standing in front of the bears' cage her pocketbook slipped from her hand into the cage. It was picked up by one of the bears who started an investigation. By the time the keeper was found Mrs. Sweet's pocketbook was in shreds, her money was scattered on the ground, and the bear was pondering over Mrs. Sweet's return ticket to Owosso.

A FARMER
INDORSESDr. Chase's Ointment
The Only Guaranteed Cure For
ITCHING PILES.

Mr. James McBurney, farmer and veterinary surgeon, of Embro, Oxford county, states: "I was troubled with itching piles, and after riding they would get very sore, and bleed, so much so that I was in terrible pain. For nine years I endured this torture, and can safely say that I have tried every remedy one could mention."

"Hearing of Dr. Chase's Ointment and knowing of the exceptional merit of the doctor's recipe book, I decided to try the ointment. To my surprise I was cured by one box, and have never been troubled since, though that was two years ago. I am strong and well, and always recommend Dr. Chase's Ointment to everyone troubled with piles. It is worth its weight in gold and well known all through the country."

Such evidence from a prominent farmer of West Zorra is incontrovertible. Dr. Chase's Ointment, 69 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co., Toronto.

RAILWAY
RUMBLINGS

After this season the famous Gravity railroad between Honesdale and Carbondale, Pa., will be abandoned. This road, which for the last half century has been one of the principal carriers of anthracite coal to tide water, climbs the Moosic range of mountains in Pennsylvania, attaining an elevation of 2,500 feet above the sea. Of the old system of operation, consisting of inclined planes up and down the mountains, spanning the chasms, scaling the summits and threading the dense forests, there remain about fifteen miles of ride by gravity and enough elevating by cable to make it one of the most novel railway trips in America. On the return trip the cars run ten miles by gravity from Fairview to Honesdale.

One of the important questions that will come up for discussion at the roadmasters' convention in Detroit this week will be that of longer rails. A. W. Heinle, of Esplan, who is an authority on rails, says: "A successful long rail will rely upon the equalization of steel in the foot of the rail, thus equalizing the expansion and allowing the rail at any length to remain on a level upon the ties. Rails in position on the road and in the sun heat are subjected to greater temperature in the head than in the flange, there being several degrees difference on a warm day. The larger the section and the greater the amount of steel in the head the greater the expansion in the head compared to the foot, consequently causing bowing of the rail, which is the start of the rail creeping. A change from the present design of rail will be required before reaching practical results, and a rail whose foot portion has an equal amount of steel as the head will be the only remedy. A rail of this design would undoubtedly support greater weight and give better satisfaction."

Last week the Pennsylvania headed the list of companies making returns, with the greatest earnings in its history in the month of July, the gross increase being \$1,700,000. The Lehigh Valley made an improvement equal to \$200,000 in the same month; Atchison increased nearly \$300,000 in net; the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy \$447,000, and the Louisville and Nashville \$217,000 in net. The St. Paul's gross earnings in July were \$549,000 larger than in 1898. For six months ending June 30, on 200 roads, with mileage of 166,599 miles, the gross earnings increased \$37,954,262, or 6.85 per cent. This increase, as the Financial Chronicle points out, would be increased to at least \$40,000,000 if all the roads in the country had reported; and it follows an increase in the first half of last year of \$70,000,000, so that the increase over 1897 is \$110,000,000. These tremendous figures give an idea of the growth of the business of the railways in the short space of two years. The following roads increased more than \$1,000,000 in gross earnings in the first six months of this year: The Pennsylvania roads, on lines directly operated east and west of Pittsburgh, made the largest increase, \$3,246,300; the Lehigh Valley and Lehigh Valley Coal Company increased \$2,

325,000; the St. Paul increased \$2,200,000; the Reading, \$1,865,000 (in five months ending May 31); the Chicago and North-western, \$1,504,000; Southern Railway, \$1,122,000, and the Central Railway of New Jersey, \$1,023,000. As to net earnings, there is no likelihood of disappointment.

How to Get Plump and Rosy. Nature meant every woman to be plump, rosy and well developed, and if she has become pale, weak and nervous, Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food will restore and revitalize the wasted nerve cells, make the blood rich and pure, and give new vigor and elasticity to the whole body. For this peculiar to women there is no remedy so successful as this great food cure of Dr. A. W. Chase. At all dealers.

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A LOCAL BUDGET

"Who Is Who," will be given four nights at the Grand, commencing tonight.

—W. B. Jones, of this city, has purchased the brick and tile yards of Close Bros., Mitchell.

—Mr. L. Sharpe, barrister, of Winnipeg, is visiting his uncle, Mr. R. W. Holston, of Burwell street.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, of Hespeler, are visiting Mrs. H. Frank Whetler, Ridout street, South London.

—The steamer Shenango, No. 1, has cancelled all scheduled trips to and from Port Stanley on and after the 11th inst.

—Miss Pauline Schreiber, of Queen's avenue, has returned home after one month's visit to Rochester and Buffalo, N. Y.

—Mr. J. W. McIntosh, of this city, has been elected first vice-president of the Division Court Clerks' Association of Ontario.

—The little son of James Parish, of Mitchell, who was hurt by falling off a horse, has been brought to this city for treatment.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ball, of this city, and Mrs. Ball's sister were the guests over Sunday of R. Walker Ball, Vanastart avenue, Woodstock.

—Mrs. Major Southall, of this city, conducted special services in the Salvation Army Barracks at Woodstock Saturday night and yesterday.

—The drawing for the gold watch, postponed from the late garden party at Mount Hope, will take place at the Catholic Club rooms tonight at 8:30.

—Dr. Rijnhart, whose husband was captured in Thibet, will arrive in Chatham Saturday, Sept. 16, when it will be finally arranged to have her deliver her first lecture in Canada there.

—Hamilton Times: Miss Gertrude Gillean, of London, who has been at Asbury Park and Rockaway Beach for the last three months, is spending a few days with Miss Ora Blackford, King street west.

—Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Holmes, of the Askin Street Methodist parsonage, met with a serious accident recently, dislocating a bone in the instep, which will probably confine her to her room for several weeks.

—Mr. J. A. Cole, who conducted a mercantile business in Rodney, during the past three years, has decided to retire from the retail trade, and will locate in London, where he will engage in the wholesale manufacture of clothing.

—P. C. Woolway found a pocketbook at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets Saturday afternoon. It contained \$3 and a railway ticket to Marquette, Mich. Shortly afterwards the owner turned up and identified his property.

—Hamilton Herald: T. J. Coe, the well-known manager for Creelman Bros., of Toronto, in the local office, King street, east, has been promoted to take charge of the firm's business in Western Ontario, with headquarters at London.



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GRAHAM BROS

at London. He will enter into his new duties next week.

—Rev. J. W. Saunby, for several years missionary to Japan, preached at the Empress Avenue Methodist Church, West London, last evening. Mr. Saunby was reared in West London, and returned from Japan three years ago. At the close of the service Rev. E. Clement, an ex-pastor of the church, addressed the congregation briefly.

—Rev. Father Cleary, priest of the parish of St. Mary's Church for the past year, delivered his farewell sermon yesterday morning at the church, addressed to Dundas, his former home. It is understood that Rev. Father Tobin, who recently returned from a three months' trip for the benefit of his health, will be Father Cleary's successor.

A THRILLING RIDE.

Wm. Percival, of 237 Queen's avenue, was driving Saturday evening with his young son and daughter, and his horse became frightened while near the corner of St. James and Richmond streets, and ran south on Richmond street at a two-minute clip. Mr. Percival, though unable to control the runaway, stuck to the rig with his children, and the three had a wild ride from St. James street to the Peconic House, where it was terminated by a collision with an express wagon. Fortunately no one was injured. As the runaway crossed Dundas street, a lady bicyclist had an exceedingly narrow escape from being knocked down.

"WHO IS WHO" TONIGHT.

The title "Who Is Who?" which has been assigned to the musical farce comedy, in which Charles A. Pusey, Tom Ricketts and a large company are presented under the direction of E. D. Stair and Geo. H. Nicolai, certainly indicates the nature of the vehicle. It is termed a comedy of complications and promises a merry antidote for the audience. Many of the situations are new, and this is considerable of a triumph nowadays, while the play partakes of all the elements of legitimate farce, there will be sufficient interpolations of specialty features to entitle it to be classed with the most rollicking farce comedy till extant. This superb organization will be seen at the Grand Opera House for four nights, commencing tonight.

STRIKE ON ACCOUNT OF WATER.

For some time past, the men employed by Contractor Grant on the waterworks dam have been dissatisfied, and on Saturday all but twelve struck for increased wages. They had been getting 15 cents an hour, and demanded \$1.50 for nine hours' work. The men who did not quit were Indians from western reserves. The work on the new dam has proceeded so that now much of the men's time is spent in the water, and by reason of this they asked for the nine-hour day and increased pay. Mr. Grant started work on the dam by paying his men 13½ cents an hour, and a strike raised the wages to 15 cents an hour. This morning there were about 20 men at work. Before the strike Mr. Grant had nearly 90 on his payroll.

THE NEW ALLAN LINER BAVARIAN.

Mr. F. B. Clarke, local agent for Allan Line, has just returned from Montreal and Quebec, where he was one of a party of guests who, on the invitation of Mr. H. Bourlier, the popular general agent for Ontario, sailed on the new steamship, the Bavarian, from Montreal to Quebec. Mr. Clarke says that the accommodations on the ship are wonderful and were pronounced by the hundreds of Montreal visitors as the best they have ever seen on any ship entering Montreal harbor. The first cabin staterooms are simply grand, and the second equal to first on any other ship, while the steerage passengers were berthed in nice, comfortable rooms. The Bavarian is the largest ship to enter Montreal harbor, and on this trip among her freight was an immense consignment of butter (500 tons) for shipment to England. After thanks to the Allan Line and Mr. Bourlier for the royal manner in which they were treated, the party took the 11:30 p.m. train, Intercolonial Railway, for home.

CANADA CAN GROW HER OWN TOBACCO

Says Lewis Wigle, Ex-M.P., a Successful Tobacco Grower.

Lewis Wigle, ex-M.P., of Leamington, is in London attending the Western Fair. Mr. Wigle, with whom horses have always been a favorite diversion, has a number of entries for the racing events, and is also showing a pair of carriage horses.

For a number of years Mr. Wigle has been one of the largest and most successful tobacco growers in Essex county. He was one of the pioneers in the new industry that is now so largely engaging the attention of Essex and Kent farmers. Mr. Wigle says the yield this year will be 3,000,000 pounds, or about half that of last year, and that there is a ready market at good prices. The failure of many of the growers to realize profits last year, Mr. Wigle says, was due to ignorance of proper methods of curing.

The average amount of leaf used by the Canadian factories for the last thirteen years was 14,000,000 pounds a year. Last year 12,400,000 pounds of American tobacco was imported by the Canadian factories, the balance being grown in Canada. Mr. Wigle says the home-grown leaf is rapidly forcing out the imported article, and will in a short time practically control the field. Two large tobacco factories will be started shortly, one in Leamington and another in Kingsville.

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SATURDAY AT THE FAIR

Thousands of Children Took in the Big Show.

First Day of the Ring Attractions and Races.

Temporary Sheds Built Yesterday for Swine—Largest Live Stock Show on Record.

Judged by Saturday, the Western Fair this year is going to prove a greater success than ever. It was Children's Day, and the youngsters were there by thousands. Secretary Nellis says the attendance was larger than on the corresponding day last year. The weather was ideal, and the young folk seemed thoroughly pleased and happy.

During the afternoon about 3,000 of them gathered on the grand stand, which was thrown open, to watch the special ring attractions and the races. Anyone of the performers did not arrive from Toronto until noon the apparatus was not all in place, and much of the programme had to be omitted. But there was enough to astonish and delight the children for the afternoon. The Hermatelli Brothers, who are strong almost beyond belief, performed astounding feats with huge iron bars and dumb-bells weighing hundreds of pounds, with graceful ease and dexterity.

Arion, the high wire performer, gave a clever and interesting exhibition, though the most picturesque feature of his performance, the riding of a wheel in mid-air, is given only in the evening. Miss Lily, a very young and attractive young woman, was enthusiastically applauded for her cornet solos, with band accompaniment.

THE RACES.

There were two speeding events on the programme, and both proved interesting. The track was very fast, and the horses were in excellent condition. The 2:30 trot required four heats to determine, and presented quite a number of features. Marion M., the winner, broke on the stretch in the second heat, and got only second place. Wallie finished first in the fourth heat, but was set back on account of running. Wallie was badly driven. West Point, who won third money, is a very promising youngster. It was his first race, and in the fourth heat he became excited and went off his feet. Summary:

Trotting, 2:30 class, best 3 in 5, purse \$100:

Marion M., b. m., G. A. Routledge, Lambeth.....1 1 1
Wallie, gr. g., Robert Pratt, South London.....1 1 2
West Point, b. g., Fred Horn, London.....2 3 5
Alantine, b. g., C. E. Stewart, St. Marys.....4 4 3
Standby, blk. m., Alex. McKelvin, Pin.....5 5 4
Time—2:34½, 2:34½, 2:35, 2:34½.

Gypsy Girl, owned by J. Soper; Malton, and Lulu M., owned by W. A. Smith, Woodbridge, were drawn. The 2:30 pace was won handsily by Texas Jessie, owned and driven by Lewis Wigle, ex-M.P., of Leamington. The little bay mare did not have to exert herself at any time. This is Texas Jessie's first season, and it was apparent that she is the best fast for her company Saturday. The only feature of the race was a change of drivers for Lemont in the third heat, which brought him from sixth to fourth place, the summary:

Pacing, 2:30 class; best three in five, purse \$40—

Texas Jessie, b. m., Lewis Wigle, Leamington.....1 1 1
Dr. Scott, George Hendry, St. Marys.....2 2 2
Donovan, R. R. Skinner, Ingersoll.....3 3 3
Kitty Cavan, br. m., Frank Henry, London.....4 4 5
May Allen, br. m., Wm. Tolmie, Rodney.....5 5 6
Lemont, roan g., F. Decker, Front Creek.....6 6 4
Molly, H. b. m., Dr. Rowe, Blenheim.....ds
Jessie, b. m., Lewis Wigle, Leamington.....ds
Williams, Alvinston.....ds
Time—2:29½, 2:29½, 2:29½.

Nuttwood Wilkes, jun., owned by J. Knittle, Oil Springs, and Minnie M., b. m., owned by Michael Soper, Walton, won the steeplechase.

The officials were Messrs. W. W. Moore, St. Thomas, starter; C. J. Fitzgerald and George McCormick, London, judges, and Dr. D. O'Neill, London, timer.

SUNDAY AT THE FAIR.

No one was admitted to the grounds yesterday except by a special Sunday pass and those passes were issued only to persons whose presence on the grounds was necessary. So much stock came in Saturday night that the cattle and sheep sheds were filled and a great many temporary sheds had to be hastily constructed yesterday for the accommodation of the overflow of swine. The fair this year is simply inundated with stock. Never before has there been any approach in volume to the present exhibit.

A visit to the grounds yesterday revealed something of the beautiful system to which their arrangement and care has been reduced. There is a place for everything and everything, and everything and everybody is in its proper place. The grounds are kept free from litter at all times by Chairman J. H. Brown's efficient staff of men. Mr. Brown says he has been fortunate in securing the best staff of employees this year that they have ever had. The feeding and care of the stock kept a small army of men busy yesterday.

THE WILLIAMS PIANO AND SATURDAY NIGHT'S RECITAL.

Prof. S. Mazurette's piano recital last Saturday evening at Williams' Music House, was attended by a large audience, and it was impossible to accommodate the people. Hundreds had to listen to the music outside on the walk. Mr. Mazurette surpassed himself last Saturday evening. He performed compositions of famous authors, including some of his fine piano compositions. In the rendition of the above works, as also all the numbers performed throughout the recital by Prof. S. Mazurette, the physical power displayed was truly astonishing. His wrists, hands and fingers have acquired a variety of positions and a facility of execution perfectly marvelous. In the performance of octaves and reiterations of the same note, extending and sweeping arpeggios, florid legato and staccato passages, in short, all known difficulties which have succumbed to the performance of the great masters, in every variety and style, he seems to have conquered. S. Mazurette's recital at Williams' Music House last Saturday evening was a rich treat to the music lovers of London.

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DEVELOPING VERY RAPIDLY

The Prosperous Condition of Manitoba.

Crops Bountiful—Farmers Delighted—Good Reports of the Iceholders and Doukhobors.

Toronto, Sept. 11.—Hon. S. C. Wood and Lieut.-Col. Crosby have just returned from a business trip to Manitoba. In a recent interview, Mr. Wood said:

"I have traveled through many parts of Manitoba, and saw on every hand evidences of the great advancement. The country is being developed rapidly, and in this respect shows marked improvement over the year. The raising of grain is now and will for several years be the chief industry of the province, and if the year's business is to be judged by the wealth of grain Manitoba is entering upon a period of commercial activity never before known. The wheat crop is simply magnificent. Harvesting operations were well advanced at the time of our visit, and there was every indication that the grain would be saved from frost. The acreage this year is much larger than last year's, and the yield per acre will be as great. Other crops are well up to the standard, oats and barley being very productive.

"I have made annual trips to Manitoba during the past eighteen years, and must say that the conditions and prospects of that province are remarkable. The future of the country is assured, and the next few years will show what great strides Manitoba can make in advancement and progress. Population is increasing, and the people are delighted with their lot."

Lieut.-Col. Crosby spoke in the same strain. He said:

"The development of Manitoba is one of the features of Canadian progress. The province is in excellent shape, and everything reflects the prosperity of the people. There are large districts in which nothing but cultivated farm lands are found, and these are nearly all being tilled at a profit. In every portion of the province there is the same report of magnificent crops, excellent grain and happy farmers. The crops now include many small fruits and vegetables, to which the soil is admirably suited. Strawberries, currants and gooseberries are raised extensively, while the vegetables are as fine as could be grown anywhere in the world.

"The model farm near Brandon is an excellent institution and is of immense benefit to the farmers of that district. The samples of the grain and the general farm products raised there are such as would excite surprise of persons not acquainted with the fertility of the soil. The educational value of the model farm is engaged in farming operations cannot be overestimated. The iceholders who have settled in Manitoba have proved to be industrious and energetic people. They have greatly profited by their farming, and are now an intelligent, comfortable situated people. Many good reports are heard about the Doukhobors also, and these European settlers have been well received. They have done very well so far, and are likely to soon become prosperous inhabitants of the province."

"Winnipeg is going ahead at a lively rate. It is now one of the greatest wholesale centers in the Dominion, and its extensive warehouses are being erected, which would be a credit to any city. Some beautiful private residences are also being built. The streets are being improved, handsome lawns are being laid out and large numbers of shade trees are being planted. Everywhere there is the same tone of confidence in the future of the province, and the importance of the present era of prosperity will not easily be overestimated."

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A FLOURISHING INDUSTRY

Cloak Manufacturing as Now Carried On in Toronto.

A visit to the Cloak Manufacturing Company of Toronto, cannot fail to be of interest just now. This modern establishment is a splendid example of Canadian enterprise, and shows how the business of cloak-making, once pre-eminently a foreign industry, is now firmly planted in this country. At one time high-class goods of this kind were imported; today Canadian firms are supplying the market with jackets, cloaks, suits, etc., that cannot be excelled for fit, workmanship and style. Being exclusively manufacturers, they make it their business to study the wants of the market. Those who have examined the goods in their show-rooms, where 150 styles are on exhibition, readily endorse the high opinions expressed by dealers in regard to their products.

The designers are all New York men. The greatly increased business, necessitated larger premises. With much additional space they have been enabled to branch out into the making of blouses, fancy skirts, wash suits, etc. They claim, without any egotism, to be the leaders in manufacturing children's goods. At the present time there is quite a vogue for the making of the elegant tribute to the popularity of their goods that they are to be found in all the best stores in the Dominion. Their travelers, who cover the country from Cape Breton to Victoria, are just about starting out on their fall sorting trips.

THE STANDARD'S GREAT PROFITS

Estimated at \$1 Per Barrel—Aggregated About \$500,000,000.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The industrial commission opened Saturday with H. H. Rogers, president of the National Transit Company, on the stand. He said he fully concurred in all that Mr. Archbold had said. He, like Mr. Archbold, favored a national corporation law as in the interest both of the corporations and the people at large, and he thought that if the United States was to achieve its legitimate destiny as a commercial nation, the constitution should be amended in this respect. Referring to the over-capitalization of companies, he said it was a matter that always took care of itself because the public would not long buy stock which would not pay a dividend. He did not believe in restrictive legislation, because he was satisfied that the tendency to gamble was born in many people and would be indulged in regardless of the existence of laws or of Wall street or of Lombard street.

He said in reply to questions from Mr. Phillips, that the National Transit Company exists under a special charter from the State of Pennsylvania, and that this charter was very liberal in its provisions.

"What did you pay for it?" the chairman asked, to which Mr. Rogers replied: "I don't know the exact amount, but as it is a good thing, I have no doubt the owner of it did not let it go without getting a good price for it." Mr. Rogers stated that the Stand-

ard's price for carrying oil through its tank lines was 20 cents per barrel, and, he said, he considered this as very reasonable, notwithstanding Mr. Phillips contended that 7 cents was sufficient. Speaking of the profits of the Standard company, Mr. Phillips said that the dividends of the company would show, without regard to the surplus, that they have made more profit on every barrel of oil they produced than they paid the producer for it. He estimated that the profits averaged \$1 a barrel, and that in the aggregate they amounted to about \$500,000,000.

A DESERONTO LADY

Speaks Highly of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

They Cured Her of Fluttering of the Heart and Feeling of Smothering After Doctor's Prescription and Other Remedies Failed.

If all the suffering women of this country who are troubled with heart palpitation rush of blood to the head, dizzy and faint spells, nervousness, pale and sallow complexion, pain in the back or side, headache and feeling of tiredness, would only read the testimony of those who were similarly affected and follow their advice, what a change there would be in the homes of the land. Pale pinched faces would glow with the hue of health, the dragging step would become elastic, the sunken lusterless eye bright, the pains and aches would disappear, weakness be replaced by strength, and drooping, dispirited, worn out women would become transformed into perfect pictures of health by the magic influence of this marvelous medicine.

Mrs. Irvine Hudson, wife of the well-known proprietor of the barber shop, Deseronto, Ont., was troubled for many years with fluttering of the heart, suffocating sensations and a dull pain around her heart which caused her great alarm.

"These spells occurred very frequently," she said, "and I have taken doctors' prescriptions and patent medicines without number, but they did not seem to help me. At last I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and they have done the work. From the very first I began to improve. The dreadful spells of heart trouble became less frequent and I have continued to get better ever since. I am now in better health than I have been for years and desire heartily to recommend these wonderful pills as the best remedy for all heart and nerve troubles."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50 cents a box, or three for \$1.25, at all druggists or sent by mail. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

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