

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

BORN.
M'GILLIVRAY - In this city, on Sept. 26, 1896, the wife of G. A. McGillivray, of a son.

Amusements and Lectures

Advertisements under this heading two cents per word each insertion.

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE SEIDL ORCHESTRA. - The concert bear in mind that the plan of the orchestra is to give a concert on Monday, Oct. 12, 9 a.m. at Nordheim's piano agency, Anderson's book store.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE - MATINEE. - At night - Saturday, Oct. 10, 2 performances, the people's representative Irish Comedians, Mr. Dan McDevitt, supported by the charming little soprano, Miss Lou Ripley, and a company of recognized ability, in one of his best plays, with special scenery, costumes, properties, etc. The picturesque comedy-drama, "The Irish Greenhorn." Prices: Matinee, 15c and 25c; night, 15c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE - WEDNESDAY. - Oct. 14, engagement of the distinguished comedian, Emily Bancker, and the great artist, presenting the brilliant new comedy, "A Divorce Case," preceded by the curtain-raiser, "Comedy and Tragedy," management of Thos. W. Ripley. Luminous with new features, brilliant company, rich costumes. First two rows circle, \$1; balance lower floor, 75c; balcony, 50c; gallery, 25c.

GRAND BENEFIT CONCERT AND ASSEMBLY. - Given under auspices of Cigar-makers' Union, 78, London, City Hall, Monday, Oct. 12, 8 p.m. Local talent will take part. Doors open 7:30; concert at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission single tickets 15 cents, double 25 cents. Everybody come.

GYMKHANA - GYM-KHANA - GYM-KHANA. - 3 o'clock sharp; events on time; tea and coffee, under the grandstand. Seventh night; room to walk about between events. Admission 25c. Seats free.

THE SEVEN BATTALION BAND. - Will play at the Gymkhana on Tuesday. Horse racing, novelty races on horseback, high jumping, Detroit, Hamilton and Toronto Hunt Clubs competing.

TWO CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES - RUGBY. - Football. Harbours vs. London, Tuxton vs. Park, Saturday, Oct. 10, junior game 1:30; senior at 3:30. Admission 25c.

FOOTBALL: FOOTBALL: FOOTBALL. - Football. Toronto vs. Hamilton, Saturday, Oct. 10, 3 p.m. Encourage mainly sports. Admission 25c for both games.

BOSTON QUINTETT CLUB.

MUSIC HALL, OCT. 9. - Tickets 25c and 50c.

THE MAGNETIC NEEDLE ALWAYS - points towards the north. So does the sharp ocean traveler, and calls on FRANK B. CHASE, Richmond street, next to the Old Country.

DANCE DANCING ACADEMY - CLASS - as follows: Gentlemen Mondays, ladies Tuesdays, 8 p.m.; ladies and gentlemen Wednesdays, 8 p.m. Circulars on application. Special reduction to former pupils. Orchestra for ball, etc. DAVENPORT & McCORMACK.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING - by Mr. R. B. Millard, at his residence, 345 Fitchburg street, on application. Teaching the modern gliding waltz and all fashionable dances guaranteed. Lessons given any hour.

Meetings.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement less than ten words.

S. O. E. CHELSEA LODGE MEETS THIS (Friday) evening, visiting brothers welcome. Geo. D. LAMBLING, president.

KING SOLOMONS LODGE - NO. 778, A. - F. and A. M. O. C. C. London West, meets tonight at 7:30 sharp. Visitors welcome. Wm. G. GARDNER, W. M.; W. W. STICKNEY, Sec'y.

NOTICE - ALL MEMBERS OF THE Bricklayers and Masons' Union must attend a special meeting at the Labor Hall, Friday, Oct. 9, 8 o'clock. JOSEPH HAWTHORNE, secretary.

Domestics Wanted.

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WANTED - A COOK - THREE IN family. Apply Mrs. HUGH CROFT, 208 Dundas street.

GOOD GIRL WANTED TO ASSIST IN housework. Apply 114 Bathurst street.

WANTED - A GOOD COOK; REFER- ences required. Apply to Miss J. L. LARNEY, 375 Dundas street.

GENERAL SERVANTS - HOUSEMAIDS, nurse girls, housekeepers and girls for all kinds of work on hand at Dwyer's Employment Agency, 401 Richmond street. Phone 111.

Male Help Wanted.

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EXPERIENCED SHOE SALESMAN wanted. Write at once to box 371, this office.

WANTED - AN IDEA - WHO CAN think of a new idea for a patent? Protect your idea; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WENDENBERG & CO., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C., for \$1.50 per offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

AGENTS WANTED - 325 PER WEEK. - Apply to GEO. MARSHALL & CO., tea importers, 225 Dundas street.

Lost and Found.

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LOST - BETWEEN LONDON AND DOR- CHESTER station, black pocketbook with checks enclosed on Monahan Bank and Merchants Bank, bank book of Dominion Savings and Investment Society and other papers. Reward by returning to advertiser office, London.

STRAYED FROM PASTURE - DARK bay horse, 7 years old, white star on forehead, heavy tail, small scar on hind foot. Reward by returning to Hueston's Livery Stable, 30 Wellington street, London.

FOUND - STRAYED INTO LOT 8, 291 - London, ironing press and stool. Owner apply to MICHAEL BRENN, London postoffice.

Agents Wanted.

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WANTED - LADY AGENTS EVERY- where. Desires to measure best of early profits good. MADAME STEVENS, manager, 100 Huron street, Montreal.

DO YOU FIND THINGS HARD - IT'S because you handle the wrong article. There is a new article in the market that will sell itself. Five new books, prices from 50c to \$1.75. Don't fool away time, but get hold of something you can sell in every house. If you are making \$5 per day, don't waste time writing, just send for the new book. Headquarters for "hard times" book, J. R. KIMBLE & CO., Wesley Building, Toronto.

Board and Lodging.

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LARGE PLEASANT ROOM - FURNISHED - To let, with board, at 402 Dundas street.

ROOM FOR FOUR GENTLEMEN; TWO together; good board; 469 Dundas street.

Articles For Sale.

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NEW STOVES, RANGES AND BASE - BURNERS cheap; stoves, 95c, 99c, 109c, 119c, 129c, 139c, 149c, 159c, 169c, 179c, 189c, 199c, 209c, 219c, 229c, 239c, 249c, 259c, 269c, 279c, 289c, 299c, 309c, 319c, 329c, 339c, 349c, 359c, 369c, 379c, 389c, 399c, 409c, 419c, 429c, 439c, 449c, 459c, 469c, 479c, 489c, 499c, 509c, 519c, 529c, 539c, 549c, 559c, 569c, 579c, 589c, 599c, 609c, 619c, 629c, 639c, 649c, 659c, 669c, 679c, 689c, 699c, 709c, 719c, 729c, 739c, 749c, 759c, 769c, 779c, 789c, 799c, 809c, 819c, 829c, 839c, 849c, 859c, 869c, 879c, 889c, 899c, 909c, 919c, 929c, 939c, 949c, 959c, 969c, 979c, 989c, 999c, 1009c, 1019c, 1029c, 1039c, 1049c, 1059c, 1069c, 1079c, 1089c, 1099c, 1109c, 1119c, 1129c, 1139c, 1149c, 1159c, 1169c, 1179c, 1189c, 1199c, 1209c, 1219c, 1229c, 1239c, 1249c, 1259c, 1269c, 1279c, 1289c, 1299c, 1309c, 1319c, 1329c, 1339c, 1349c, 1359c, 1369c, 1379c, 1389c, 1399c, 1409c, 1419c, 1429c, 1439c, 1449c, 1459c, 1469c, 1479c, 1489c, 1499c, 1509c, 1519c, 1529c, 1539c, 1549c, 1559c, 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The Englishman's Courage.

Mr. Robert Barr, of the Detroit Free Press, who has recently been traveling in Germany, met a man who believed that Germany could injure Great Britain permanently by selling goods below cost. Of this "slaughter market" theory, Mr. Barr writes:

"Will Germany's gigantic experiment of breaking down England's trade by underselling her in her own markets succeed? I do not share the confidence of the German friends I have conversed with on this subject. The Germans have a very long row to hoe, and I fear they underestimate the length of it. The Englishman's trade system is founded on the very stable rock of free trade, and not on the continually shifting sands of protection. It is difficult to undermine a man who has built his house on a rock. The Germans seem to be blinded by their hatred of the Englishman to several of his qualities that make for success. Protection is a national confession of individual weakness. The merchant or manufacturer who cries for protection is simply saying: 'I am unable to cope with my competitors; tie up the other fellow and then let me get at him.' Protection is national cowardice. The Englishman throws open his markets to the whole world and says: 'Beat me at the game if you can.' An American friend of mine summed up the character of the Englishman with much shrewdness. He came to London with the usual equipment of contempt for the slowness of the Britisher's business methods. Experience made some change in his opinions, and he said to me sadly at parting: 'The Englishman has made money because all other nations take him for a darn fool—and he isn't.'"

It is noteworthy that when a time of world-wide depression comes, the British are the last to experience it, and the first to get over its effects. And they overcome their difficulties in spite of many natural disadvantages, and a conservative disposition to change their methods of production to meet the wants of customers. If the British had the natural advantages that some countries possess they would be infinitely richer than they are. And today they are the bankers of the nations of the earth. Wealth flows to them from every quarter of the globe.

The latest trade returns show that both British exports and British imports continue to increase.

The motherland is all right.

To Sarnia Observer: How much boot will you take, and trade rivals with London?

It is said that the Czar and Czarina have become very much fatigued because of the overwhelming cordiality of their reception by the vivacious French. The Russian Emperor and his wife are but human, like the rest of us. Their elevated position may bring them prestige and what is called glory, but the quiet life of a private citizen has its compensations.

The Peg Put In.

If the expenditures of the Dominion for the year from July 1 last, which the late Government became responsible for, are large—and that is admitted—what would they have been had the new Government adopted every one of the many schemes for squandering money set on foot, and partly arranged for, by the defeated Administration?

There is much to be thankful for that a peg has been put in at this stage.

There will be more kicking in London tomorrow than there has been for many a long day. Six football matches will be played. A football match is a great test of temper as well as of physical endurance.

A personal friend who has recently seen Hon. Geo. W. Ross says that the Minister of Education is in better health than he has been for ten years. His rheumatism does not bother him much now.

Still Sassing Lord Aberdeen.

We don't suppose that the Governor-General will be consistent enough to refuse to sanction the appointment of Mr. Sifton to the portfolio of the Interior, on the ground that the office has been a long time open.—Hamilton Spectator.

The Governor-General would be most inconsistent, and decidedly opposed to constitutional rule, if he were to refuse to sanction Mr. Sifton's appointment. In the first place the office that Mr. Sifton has been called to fill has not been a "long time open." In the next place, his Excellency knows that the Government which recommends the appointment has the confidence of the people. The Tupper Government, which was thwarted by Lord Aberdeen in its attempts to perpetrate outrageous schemes for its own aggrandizement, had lost the confidence of the people, and her Majesty's representative knowing it, would have been false to his trust if he had taken a course contrary to that adopted by him.

The excellence of the cold storage arrangements on the steamers passing between Britain and Australia has called a new trade into existence, namely frozen flowers. The "Queen" of a recent issue describes a dinner at which the floral decorations were all from the antipodes, and they appear to have been of surpassing beauty. There is a hint for Canadians in this, remarks the Ottawa Free Press.

A Wonderful Candidate.

There is a good deal of misrepresentation in connection with the United States Presidential campaign. Several weeks ago the Republican leaders announced that Bryan, the Democratic nominee, was in a state of "complete physical collapse," and some of them even hinted that his mind was going. Bryan has lived all this week down. This week he made a progress through Indiana, one of the doubtful States, addressing as many as eleven meetings in eleven different centers of population in one day, being seen and heard daily by 250,000 persons. Next week Bryan comes to Michigan. In that State, also claimed by both parties, Bryan will speak in 55 towns and cities.

Was there ever a candidate for high office who undertook so much campaigning, and contrived without making his address tolerably interesting at every point?

It is probable Bryan will be beaten, but he is leaving no stone unturned to aid his election. He faces the people everywhere, and boldly delivers his message. In this respect, McKinley has given him an advantage. The doubtful men can see and hear Bryan. He goes to them. McKinley stays at his home in Canton, O., and is visited by friends to whom he talks politics. They go in large numbers, and they enthrone over their candidate, but this kind of pilgrimage looks to many too much like homage paid to a great man to be of advantage in converting the doubtfuls. Bryan's determination to speak to his friend and opponent as far as possible, at their own homes, is certainly the more taking policy.

The New York elevated roads have successfully tried an electric train minus the overhead trolley wire. Everything worked smoothly, and the cars carried passengers regularly. The storage battery has 256 storage cells, of two volts each. There can be no question as to the storage battery. It is a success in one sense, but, so far, not a success in another. It is much more costly than the trolley. Until the storage battery is cheapened, the trolley will remain on its top.

The Epidemic In Zorra.

The Provincial Health Department will not only endeavor to stay the ravages of the typhoid fever epidemic in East Zorra, Oxford county, but will at the earliest possible moment take steps to discover the cause of the outbreak. Eight persons in one neighborhood have died within the last few weeks, and two others are dangerously ill.

An epidemic of this sort is not, as people are formerly taught to believe, a "dispensation of Providence," to be borne with as a result of some secret sin. Medical research has now established beyond a doubt that typhoid fever is a dirt disease, having its origin in the eating of tainted food or the drinking of impure water. The germs of the disease are generally taken into the body by the agency of drinking water. Many people, who are ordinarily careful to be personally clean, are contented to drink water obtained from foul wells, situated near their barn-yards, and receiving into them surface water poisoned by animal refuse. They are anxious to have healthy animals, but they take no care to prevent them getting their supply of water from the vilest of streams. And so between the bad water drunk by cows and the impure supply of water for domestic purposes, to be found in many rural districts, there are more sickness and death from typhoid fever and diphtheria than are to be found in the average city. This should not be so. If every resident in the country were to take effective means to at all times maintain clean surroundings and to provide a pure supply of drinking water for both man and beast, there need be little, if any, sickness from diseases of this kind in the rural regions.

These facts, we feel assured, will be emphasized by the investigation now being made in Zorra.

A telegram has been received from the Lowell Observatory, at Flagstaff, Arizona, announcing that the canals in Mars known as Phobos and Euphrates have already been observed to be double. This is important, if there are assurances that the observers were not engaged in convivial exercises before making the discovery.

AN ABLE OLD MAN.

Sir Oliver Mowat is showing no signs of impaired ability or tact. He is an old man, but his work indicates that he is an able man. His supremacy at Toronto might be explained by the fact that everything was in his favor. But his work in the Senate, when everything is against him, proves that in spite of age and new surroundings he is a powerful man in any department of the great political game. It is seldom that the Senate listens to as good a speech as that made by Senator Kirchhoff. It may not have

been a good speech absolutely, but it was good compared to the average speech in the Senate. The reply of Sir Oliver Mowat to Senator Kirchhoff seems to have been a really able effort. It was admirable in temper, keen in its thrusts at the inconsistency of an assailant, and altogether indicated that it is unnecessary to look beyond Sir Oliver Mowat's own ability for the explanation of his unique success in Canadian politics.

Archibald Forbes is writing a history of the famous Forty-second Highlanders, otherwise known as the Black Watch, a regiment which saw the carnage of Waterloo, was in the Crimea, and fought in the India mutiny.

Marion Crawford has written for The Century a story called "A Rose of Yesterday," which will be begun in the November number and run for six months. The scene opens in Lucerne.

Miss Panoia's argument in favor of cooking and housework in the schools, read at a meeting of the American Manual Training Association, opens the American Kitchen Magazine for the month. In the proceedings of the meeting, the economist conference are full reports of two interesting papers read by Dr. Mary Green, of Charlotte, and Mrs. Kezlie of the Kansas Agricultural College. (Boston: Home Science Publishing Co.)

The October Eclectic chooses from its contemporaries' good things a choice literary menu introduced by "The Battle of the Standards," by W. L. Alden and Wm. Dillon. Some of the more notable selections are: "The Ethical Impulse of Mrs. Brown," by Henry W. Wolf; "The Cuban Question," by Fitzmaurice Kelly; and "Prince Krapotkin's review of 'Recent Science.'" That interesting tribute to the genius of the English master in the literature of Italy, John Addington Symonds, which Frederic Harrison furnished to the Nineteenth Century, was wisely chosen as a worth further circulation. (New York: E. R.

The Century Magazine for October begins with an interesting and generally discriminating article by M. Th. Bentzon "About French Children," very fully and cleverly illustrated with pictures by Maurice Bonnet de Monvel. The repressing influence of education began earlier in France, where the babies "soon learn to keep their place." Another noticeable article in the October Century is an account of the Presidential candidacy of John F. Hale in 1882, by his associate on the Free Soil ticket, Geo. W. Julian. Prof. Wm. M. Sloan describes the "Eclipse of Napoleon's Glory," and following the paper is a very striking portrait of the author. Many artistic illustrations add to the attractions of the number.

Who Is Decca?

Greatest of Lyric Singers to Visit London.

Her Fame Is Worldwide.

In Ten Years Her Equal Has Not Been in England.

Anton Seldi and his Metropolitan permanent orchestra of New York, numbering 60 musicians, is coming to London from New York City, Oct. 19. Herr Seldi has a programme arranged to suit the taste of a musical inclined as well as those who are fond of miscellaneous selections. In conjunction with the famous orchestra is the renowned Marie Decca, Marie Decca is one of the greatest lyric sopranos, and has sung in all the leading cities of the world. She is called by the best American and European musical critics, "The American Jenny Lind." Not only has her voice the remarkable range of three octaves, reaching to the phenomenal pitch of A natural in Alt, but her magnetism and wonderful influence over her audience in rousing them to a high pitch of enthusiasm, suggest the personality of the "Swedish Nightingale."

Of her, the London, Eng., Times says: "She is without doubt the best singer who has appeared for the last ten years. She has evidently been trained for the Italian school, whose masters considered the firmness of tone, flexibility of voice, and the range of notes, to be the first requisites of a good singer. Perfect, distinct pronunciation, due expression, following the theory that the words must be fitted to the melody, and not the melody to the words," careful phrasing and modulation, and above all, perfect control of the voice, were the requisites considered necessary to form a perfect singer. All these qualities Mrs. Decca possesses.

The concert will be given at the Princess Rink, which will be comfortably heated for the occasion. The platform will be erected in a central part of the rink from which all can hear distinctly.

WHAT HIS FATHER SAID.
Willie—Well, now that you've come, I suppose I'll have to go for the doctor.

Featherstone—Why, Willie?
Father says you always make him sick!

SO APPROPRIATE.
She—You know, Reggie, that girls are being called by the names of flowers now, and my sister suggested that I should be called Thistle.

Reggie—O, yes, I see, because you are so sharp.
She—O, no; she said it was because a donkey loved me—Odds and Ends.

AN OLD RETAINER.
Mrs. De Caste—Excuse me, Mrs. Hiredum, but your servant seems very familiar.
Mrs. Hiredum—Yes, I know; but she has been so long in the family that we overlook many things. Indeed, we regard her much as the English do an old retainer.

Mrs. De Caste—That is different, of course. One puts up with many things from an old and tried servant. How long has she been with you, pray?

Mrs. Hiredum—Seven weeks yesterday.

A prehistoric cave has been discovered by the Department of the Dordogne by M. E. Riviere, the walls of which are covered with pictures of animals, and in the rock, some of the drawings are buried under stalagmites, which proves their antiquity. They extend for at least 430 feet, which is as far as the cave has been explored.

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Miss MINNIE MAXWELL, a sales-lady in Eaton's store on Yonge street, and residing in Parkdale, Toronto, says: "For several months I suffered with general debility and biliousness. I did not get any better although I tried a number of different medicines. A few bottles of Munyon's Debility Cure effected a complete cure, and I have had no further trouble since using it. Munyon's Rheumatism Cure seldom fails to relieve in one to three hours, and in a few days. Price 25c. Munyon's Cold Cure prevents pneumonia and breaks up a cold in a few hours. Price 25c. Munyon's Cough Cure stops coughs, night sweats, allays soreness, and speedily heals the lungs. Price 25c. Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins and all forms of kidney disease. Price 25c. Asthma Cure, with Asthma Herbs.

Munyon's Catarrh Remedies never fail. The Catarrh Cure—Price 25c—eradicates the disease from the system and the Catarrh Pills—Price 25c—eradicate the disease from the system. Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price 25c. Munyon's Pile Ointment positively cures all forms of piles. Price 25c. Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood. Price 25c. Munyon's Female Remedies are a boon to all women. Munyon's Viscer restores lost powers to weak men. Price, \$1. A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25 cents a vial. Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 11-13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease.

FEMALE BARBER'S WEALTH.

Died a Miser After Traveling All Over the World.

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Through the filing of an inventory in the estate of Susie C. Ashley in the Probate Court, a life's story which reads like a romance was disclosed. Susie C. Ashley was the daughter of a wealthy Massachusetts man. At one time she was the wife of a prominent politician, and traveled all over the world. During her tours abroad, it is said, she was presented to the Queen of England. When she died last July she was the proprietor of a west side barber's shop. She left a daughter, Florence Ellis.

In the early seventies the senior Ashley, who lived in Massachusetts, died, leaving a estate which was valued at nearly \$500,000. Susie C. Ashley's share of the property amounted to \$30,000. The young woman was married to John C. White, who held responsible positions under the United States Government. It is said he had a consular post at one time. Mrs. Ashley invested her money in Chicago property, but fortune seemed to be against her. She lost \$20,000, it is said, in investments in west side suburbs.

Fifty years ago she was divorced. Ventures on the north and south sides led to further losses, and finally the woman opened a barber's shop on the west side. Her daughter, it is said, was her only relative in whom she confided, and to her she wanted to leave the entire estate. She lived in rooms back of the barber's shop. When she died no will was discovered.

Thomas Quinlan had been requested by the woman to see that her relatives had nothing to do with her estate. Quinlan got Dennis J. Sullivan to act as administrator. When the estate first came into court it was valued at less than \$5,000. The bond was set at \$5,000, and after a few days found a receipt indicating that the decedent had rented a safe-deposit box. The box was opened, but it was empty.

In a cupboard \$17,000 worth of stocks and bonds were found. In the house above all, perfect order was found. The curious thing the woman had collected in her travels.

Susie C. Ashley was comparatively young at her death, less than 40 years of age, it is said.

Miss Ashley conducts the barber's shop left by her mother. The young woman is the only heir-at-law. Her father, whose name is connected with the most brilliant part of her mother's career, is said to be a resident of Chicago.

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Saturday Night Fair

From 7 to 10 O'Clock.

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HOSE—Ladies' Worsted All-Wool Hose, double heels and toes, worth 35c, Saturday Night 25c
HOSE—Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Hose, double soles, heels and toes, worth 40c, Saturday Night 27c
HOSE—Ladies' Ribbed Wool Cashmere Hose, spliced, worth 25c, Saturday Night 17c
HOSE—Children's Ribbed Cashmere Hose, spliced soles, heels and toes, worth 20c, Saturday Night 15c
GLOVES—Ladies' All-Wool Cashmere Gloves, worth 15c, Saturday Night 10c
GLOVES—Ladies' Colored and Black Kid Gloves, laced or clasp fastener, worth \$1.25, Saturday Night 85c
GLOVES—Ladies' Fancy Colored Ringwood Gloves, worth 35c, Saturday Night 25c
HANDKERCHIEFS—Ladies' Fancy Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 20c, Saturday Night 15c
HANDKERCHIEFS—Fancy Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 7c, Saturday Night 6 for 25c
NIGHT GOWNS—Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, striped, trimmed with silk embroidery, worth 75c, Saturday Night 56c
VESTS—Ladies' Ribbed Scotch Lamb's wool Vests, worth 75c, Saturday Night 58c
SKIRTS—Ladies' Fancy Knit Wool Skirts, worth 75c, Saturday Night 57c
SOCKS—Men's Black Ribbed Wool Socks, worth 20c, Saturday Night 2 for 25c
SOCKS—Men's Brown Merino Socks, worth 25c, Saturday Night 3 for 50c
JACKETS—Men's All-Wool Cardigan Jackets, worth \$1, Saturday Night 69c
SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Men's Heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, worth 40c, Saturday Night 30c
TIES—Gents' All-Silk Knot Ties, worth 25c, Saturday Night 4 for 25c
HATS—Men's Black and Brown Fedora Hats, very fine, worth \$1.75, Saturday Night \$1.25
SHIRTS—Men's Heavy All-Wool Top Shirts, worth 90c, Saturday Night 69c
SHIRTS—Men's White Unlaundered Shirts, extra heavy, worth 65c, Saturday Night 45c
BRACES—Men's Heavy Working Braces, leather ends, worth 25c, Saturday Night 15c

ON FIRST FLOOR.

ULSTERS—Men's Storm King Frieze Ulsters, brown and black, worth \$6.50, Saturday Night \$4.75
ULSTERS—Men's Very Heavy Frieze Ulsters, big collars, worth \$9, Saturday Night \$7
OVERCOATS—Men's Heavy Tweed Overcoats, worth \$5, Saturday Night \$2.50
OVERCOATS—Men's Blue, Black and Gray Beaver Overcoats, Fibre Chamois Interlining, worth \$15, Saturday Night \$11.50
SUITS—Men's D. B. All-Wool, Good-to-Wear Suits, worth \$7.50, Saturday Night \$5.75
SUITS—Men's Fine Black Worsted Suits, Striped Pants, worth \$13.50, Saturday Night \$10
COATS—Men's Brown and Black Waterproof Coats, worth \$7.50, Saturday Night \$5
PANTS—Men's Good All-Wool Tweed Pants, worth \$2.50, Saturday Night \$1.75
OVERCOATS—Boys' Heavy Tweed Overcoats, worth \$2.50, Saturday Night \$1.88

OVERCOATS—Youths' All-Wool Tweed Overcoats, worth \$4, Saturday Night \$2.95
SUITS—Boys' 2-piece Tweed Suits, worth \$3.50, Saturday Night \$2.39
PANTS—Boys' Heavy Tweed Knicker Pants, worth 75c, Saturday Night 47c
PANTS—Boys' Blue Serge Knicker Pants, worth 50c, Saturday Night 29c
COATS—A Great Special in our Ladies \$5 Winter Coat, rough and plain cloth, in colors and black—the newest styles, See them Saturday Night
SPECIAL—One table Ladies Winter Coats for \$1.50, worth \$6, Saturday Night
JACKETS—For \$7.50—we will show a line of Ladies' Coats, worth \$10, Saturday Night
MILLINERY—For beauty and taste combined see our Grand Display of Millinery. We employ none but the best artists. Great Bargains for Saturday Night

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Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retards the digestion, food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, nervousness, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

London and Port Stanley.

Meeting of the Railway Board—Contracts Awarded.

The New Turn Table and Pit and the Stand Pipe—Buildings to be Insured.

Mayor Little (chairman), P. E. Leonard, Moses Masurek, John Bland, Wm. Bowman, Ald. O'Meara, Ald. Taylor, and C. A. Kingston (treasurer) constituted a London and Port Stanley Railway Board meeting yesterday. Engineer De Gurse, of the L. E. and D. R. R., and City Engineer Graydon also attended.

The chief purpose of the meeting was to open tenders for the new turn-table and the work connected therewith, which the L. E. and D. R. R. require in this city. For the turn-table pit, Martin & Hammett's tender of \$149 was accepted, being much the lowest. Ald. Garratt's figures for the same work were \$1,025, and Everett & Sing's \$1,031.

There were three tenders for the 50-foot turn-table—two from American firms, and one from the Dominion Bridge Company, Montreal. The latter was not the lowest, but they will be given preference if they will erect the table and supply circular rails free of charge. They must also guarantee that the table will hold a 100-ton engine and be capable of movement by two men.

An automatic stand-pipe of Chicago make will also be purchased for the L. E. and D. R. R., under the terms of the agreement.

Mr. Terman, of McMahon & Terman, contractors, again asked to be refunded \$30 for drilling pedestal caps for the new L. and P. S. R. bridges. He claimed that this was not stipulated in the plans. Engineer De Gurse pointed out that the work could not have been done at all without this drilling, even though it was not specifically called for in the specifications.

The board reaffirmed its previous decision. A. G. Smyth & Son offered to insure the freight shed and roundhouse now building. No insurance has yet been placed on the L. and P. S. R. property either in London, St. Thomas or Port Stanley, and Mayor Little and Mr. Bowman were empowered to remedy this at once.

The mayor and auditors will ascertain the amount of debentures required for new L. and P. S. R. property and report to the finance committee. The freight shed and roundhouse will be completed by Nov. 1.

City Hall Notes.

The New Method of Appointing the Court of Revision

A Relief to the Aldermen—Electrical Connections for Civic Offices—Other Jottings.

For the first time in the city's history the court of revision this year will be independent of the council. The new court will be composed of ex-Ald. Jones, Sheriff Cameron and Mr. A. M. Gunn, gentlemen well qualified by experience and judgment for the position. In nearly all Canadian cities the courts of revision are similarly constituted, the city council choosing representative citizens instead of its own members. The average alderman is always loath to serve on the court. He is generally besieged by importunate ratepayers, urging support for their appeals and no matter how conscientiously he may do his duty, he is sure to offend some of his constituents. The new court has met twice, and will sit on Oct. 16 to hear the appeals against the present assessment. The aldermen are to receive a nominal sum—\$25 each—for their arduous labors.

Electricians have possession of the mayor's office. They are connecting it with other civic offices by electric bells. Speaking tubes will supplement this system of intercommunication, which will save much time and shoe-leather.

The city engineer has not offered his opinion, but it is safe to say that he would prefer somebody else to boss the sewerage job. It is a gigantic and difficult undertaking, and added to his ordinary duties, would make him huffy.

The mayor remarked to an official in a joking way that he had signed enough checks this morning to clear out half the banks. In a private and public capacity he attached his autograph to city, waterworks, Fair Board, Huron and Erie, and his own firm's checks, representing many thousands of dollars. In two or three hours he was done.

The Board of Works' decision to push the sewerage construction will be satisfactory to the workmen. It will provide employment for a large number of men at a season when it is usually needed most. "If it were done, it were well it were done quickly."

Mr. Philip Holliday, of Quebec city, has been at Lunenburg some weeks engaged in the apple trade. He has contracted for 3,000 barrels with the farmers in that vicinity. He expects to have his contract completed in about three weeks.

The death is recorded of Malcolm McLarty, of Moss, after an illness of over three months. Mr. McLarty was born in 1840, on the farm which he cultivated up to the time of his death. He was a successful farmer and took a deep interest in everything pertaining to agriculture. The pall-bearers were Mark Walker, A. R. McKellar, D. D. Graham, Hector McLarty, John McKellar (Dawn) and John A. McKellar.

At the Peckard electric works, St. Catharines, a gasoline pit in the cement room caught fire, and before the lid could be put on four employees—Brookhurst, Page, Sutton and Ramsom—were burned about the face and hands. Page was the most severely burned, and is confined to his bed.

A Tough Case.

Charles McQueen, an Inveterate Clothing Thief,

Robbed a Boarding House Here and One at Niagara—Mrs. Fahey's Mother Heard From—Other Cases.

At the Police Court this morning the case of Mrs. Fahey, the woman who is being held as insane, was taken up. Mr. McKillop asked that the woman be remanded for another week, as by that time she would likely be able to travel to her home in Pennsylvania, whence she came during Fair week.

Chief Williams said her mother, Mrs. Fitzgerald, had been located at Tionesta, Pa., from whom it was learned that Mrs. Fahey had been in the asylum before. The mother also said she was not in a position to send for her daughter, as she had to work for her living. Mrs. Fahey was remanded.

Yesterday morning the police received a letter from A. E. McDougall, of the Paisley House, Nanpess, asking them to be on the lookout for Charles McQueen, who had stolen a black suit from his house. Last night the city detectives were informed of this. Charles McQueen had robbed the house of Mr. Geo. Chittick, 235 King street. The officers found McQueen near the Griggs House and arrested him. At the court this morning he was charged with stealing a razor, pair of gloves, and 70 cents from Walter Cunningham, value \$2.65; from Thos. Bolton, one overcoat, a tobacco pouch, and a mouth-organ from J. Arscott, clothing and other stuff, amounting to \$16.

The magistrate put the usual question to the prisoner, and he elected to be tried by the P. M. The charges were read separately to him, and he pleaded guilty to them all. He told the magistrate he came from Brockville, where his mother and brother-in-law lived. He said he had been in the city two days, and had come with the intention of taking a situation on the C. P. R.

Detective Nicke said he was a telegraph operator, and had come here with the intention of taking a situation on the C. P. R. He denied this, and said he was a union man.

Mr. McKillop told the court that the prisoner had gone to Mr. Chittick's house to board, and had stayed over night. He was in bed when the suit of clothes on Sept. 26. He said the prisoner had the coat on then, which he had stolen from DeGusse.

The prisoner admitted stealing a suit from Nanpess, but said it was a gray one.

The magistrate remanded him for a week before passing sentence. Hugh McCurdy, an old time offender, pleaded guilty to being drunk and was fined \$10 or 20 days in jail. Arthur Higgins, for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk, was fined \$5 or ten days.

John A. McDonald, the big Indian constable who was charged with 12 inches in his socks, pleaded guilty to being drunk, but on promising to let his brother severely alone he was allowed to go.

Willing to Arbitrate.

Contractor John Hayman's Offer to the Men.

The Trouble Will Likely Be Settled by That Means—The Contractor's Statement.

"I am perfectly willing to have the matter of this strike settled by arbitration," said Contractor John Hayman in conversation with an Advertiser reporter.

A deputation of four or five of the men had waited on him this morning, he said, and offered to return to work, but no settlement was effected, the contractor wishing assurance that a repetition of the present trouble would not occur at any time. The termination is awaited with considerable interest by other city contractors, as this is practically a test case as to whether they will be obliged to sublet the work of tearing down old buildings, etc., or pay union prices for it.

Mr. Hayman stated that he was paying an advance in wages instead of a reduction. The question hinges on whether tearing down old buildings, excavating, etc., is the work of bricklayers, helpers or not. Contractors claim that this work is usually done by sub-contractors, who engage common labor and pay probably 12 to 15 cents an hour for it. Mr. Hayman does not choose to sublet his work. He employed common labor at 12 to 15 cents an hour. "When work is slack, and I can manage it," said he, "I put my regular men at this work, and pay them the union scale, 18 cents an hour."

It is expected that a settlement will soon be effected.

To California and Mexico.

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Be the first to ask a pardon for my error, and guard against the little plagues, misunderstandings, and hasty words that often pave the way for sorrow and regret.

The body of the late Mrs. Carpenter, supposed to have been murdered at Hagersville, has been examined. The stomach sent to the Government analyst. An examination of the remains confirmed the report of the doctors who made the post-mortem examination.

Only a Soft Mud Bath.

The Wind-Up of the Provincial University Convocation.

A Letter of Protest from a London Student.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

In your paper of Oct. 7, I find an article, and a very unfair and ungenerous article, under the heading of "A Medieval Initiation Ceremony." Apart from being for the most part decidedly untrue, it has exaggerated what really occurred into gigantic proportions. The words "pale and trembling" are scarcely suitable to apply to the freshmen of a university, who are generally the very opposite, and who have an idea that they own or at least have an interest in a mortgage on the university, and take no pains to conceal this idea. Then again, it was not absolutely necessary for all to pass through the "one door," and the freshmen, to do them justice, came out of their own free will, in fact, even more quickly than they had intended. They were "hushed and jolled along," not by "fifty lively sophomores," but by about twenty men, who apart from the matter of the door, passed them along a line about ten feet in width, and then permitted them to slide down the "one door," and there were but two simple accidents, such as would be thought little of if they occurred on a Rugby field, and it seems to us that when the college council have overlooked the matter it ill behooves the leading paper in Western Ontario to make such a scare about nothing, and so do untold harm to the university. Trusting you will set the matter right with your readers, Yours truly,

H. M. LITTLE, 37, University College Residence, Toronto, Oct. 8, 1896.

(The Advertiser quoted its statement from the Toronto World, the proprietor of which is a member of the Executive of the University, and therefore not likely to countenance a highly-colored report of the proceedings. Being on the spot, it was supposed that the representative of that journal reported the troubles as he found them. The Advertiser has no animus in the matter, and is glad to hear that the attack on the younger students was much less virulent than represented by the Toronto newspaper. Might it not be worthy of consideration whether or not these periodical outbreaks, though on the most limited scale, should be altogether abolished? The drawing of young students even through soft mud is surely not a matter of university education.—Editor Advertiser.)

Bothwell's Sensation.

The Inquest on Annie Humiston's Baby.

Little Light on the Case—An Open Verdict.

Bothwell, Oct. 9.—The inquest in the case of Annie Humiston's baby (whose mother is charged with having dispatched it) was held by Coroner Bray. The body was recovered from the yard at the back of the Humiston house, where it had been buried by Alice Humiston, a sister of the young mother, and warrants were issued against her for the murder of the child. Dr. Bell testified that he made a post-mortem examination of the body of the female infant, finding a small mark on the right side of the neck. The right arm was broken, and the whole scalp was very much discolored and showed marks of violence. On cutting through the scalp he found a great amount of congealed blood, and the skull was broken into fragments. It was the unmistakable result of death by external violence. The child had lived and breathed, and had not been long dead. Alice Humiston testified that her sister had been delivering a child on Monday. She was called in after the birth, and the child was dead. She did not hear it cry, and if it had cried she would have heard it. The household consisted of witness, her sister Annie, a brother, and J. Wesley Cates, a boarder. Witness buried the baby where it was found. Witness said her sister had been in Detroit, where, she said, the child was born. John W. Cates testified that the girl, Alice, had told him of the occurrence, saying the baby was dead when first she saw it. James Marcus gave similar evidence. He said the girls did not bear good names in the district.

Fred Humiston testified that he knew nothing of the occurrence till after the burial. The jury, after a short deliberation, brought in a verdict that "the infant was born alive, but was killed by some person or persons to the jury unknown, and from the evidence before them it was impossible to say who it was that inflicted the violence that caused the death."

ENDEAVORERS' OFFICERS

Ottawa Convention Elects Officers and Passes Important Resolutions.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—The Ontario Christian Endeavor Association elected the following officers: President, A. E. Hardy; Lindsay, vice-presidents, Rev. J. F. Barker, Hamilton; W. W. Coulter, St. Thomas; Rev. E. E. Knowles, Ottawa; Rev. W. Johnston, Wardsville; counselors, Miss, Reader, Ingersoll; Salem Bland, Smith's Falls; J. N. Moyer, Stratford; secretary, Thomas Morris, Hamilton; treasurer, W. J. Doherty, London; press editor, Rev. J. A. R. Dickson, Galt; junior superintendent, Miss Lottie E. Wiggins, Toronto.

Resolutions were passed in favor of prohibition, commending abolition of the House of Commons bar, and urging the development of a Christian patriotism.

Mrs. Celeste Coon, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "For years I could not eat many kinds of food without producing a burning, excruciating pain in my stomach. I took Farmer's Pills according to directions under the head of 'Dyspepsia or Indigestion.' One box entirely cured me. I can now eat anything I choose without distressing me in the least. These pills do not gripe, griping and should be used when a cathartic is required. Ladies are greatly benefited by the use of Angostura Bitters, the South American tonic, of Dr. J. G. B. Siegart & Sons."

172 and 174 Dundas Street.

FROM OUR Underwear Dept.

Good news comes from our Underwear Department today; this is how it reads, and let us assure you it looks and handles much better:

Ladies' Vests.

Start at 15c, a good one for 15c.

20c Nicely finished, long sleeves, comfortable garment, worth 25c, for 20c.

25c Fine Union Vest, open front, nicely trimmed, worth 35c, for 25c.

37½c The Champion, could get 50c, yours at 37½c.

50c Fine all-wool, "Our Own," best in Canada for 50c.

Flannelette Gowns

A special purchase of makers' sample selling below regular cost, description impossible, see them on front counter.

50c A good one, 60c with yoke and ruffle, collar and placket.

95c A beauty, made of best English Flannelette, all garments large and full size.

Hoisery Dept.

25c A special in boys' heavy ribbed, large size, 25c.

15c Our Leader, heavy wool, seamless, in sizes 8, 9, 10, 11c.

25c A good Cashmere Hose, we want you to see it, it's worth 35c, for 25c.

Staple Dept.

35c A snap in Table Linen, 60 inches, pure linen, special pattern, worth 50c, for 35c.

5c Gray Cotton, could get 7c for it, now 5c.

10c Extra heavy Toweling, job lot, 10c.

\$3 00 1 dozen Ladies' 7 Gored Black Skirts, in new and fashionable material, start them at \$5, worth one-third more.

Fine Dressmaking.

BAYLEY'S.

CANADA'S AUSTRALIAN TRADE.

Latest Information From the Agent Promoting It.

Ottawa, Oct. 9.—Mr. J. S. Larke, Canadian Commissioner to Australia, under date of Sept. 10, writes to the Department of Trade and Commerce. He states that the steamship "Vanderbilt," under the command of Captain Macdonald, has arrived in Sydney, and has a varied cargo of merchandise from Canada. The direct boats were not able to take the cargo offering, and Canadian goods were coming in on boats from China and New York. He suggests the establishment of a line of freight boats, but admits the difficulty of securing a return cargo. He thinks a monthly freight service from Sydney to Vancouver, and from Vancouver to Seattle, would be a great benefit to the trade. Rates of freight by the Canadian mail steamers via New York were exorbitant. Seventy or eighty vessels for Australia sailed from New York annually.

A VIGOROUS MUSHROOM

Forces Its Way Through an Asphalt Walk in Toronto.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Yesterday morning a gigantic mushroom bloomed into full vigor right underneath the asphalt sidewalk on Shuter street, beside the Elliot House. It could be seen through a crack in the asphalt, but was too big to come through, and in some phenomenal manner raised the asphalt above it four inches. A witness passing the pavement and the edible taken out. It was a mushroom of the first quality, and weighed a pound. A similar one, though not so large, came up in the asphalt there some ten days ago, very near where the second one was found. Breakfast with asparagus and mushrooms is now a favorite dish at the hotel.

METHODIST MISSIONS.

Serious Charge Against the Late Dominion Government.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—The charge made at the Methodist mission board of unfair discrimination against the Methodist Indian schools by the late Government is to be placed before the new Dominion Cabinet with a view to equitable treatment. The charge was placed before the board by the Rev. Dr. Sutherland in the form of a memorandum on Indian Institutes and boarding schools in Ontario, Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia. The memorandum sets forth that the policy of the Government was to operate boarding schools and industrial institutes, rather than day schools, on the reserves, and to invite the churches to co-operate in the work, and treat them impartially in the distribution of grants and assistance. Dr. Sutherland's memorandum charged that the Methodist Church is seriously discriminated against in the Northwest Territories and British Columbia. The matter has been very fully investigated by the Rev. Wm. Kettell, who has been most assiduous in investigating documents and gathering information. The fact was commented on that the matter had been fully presented to the late Government, and the board considered that the claims of the Methodist schools and institutes should be urgently pressed upon the present Government.

BOB'S CHOICE.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Robert G. Ingersoll addressed a large meeting in this city last night in favor of McKinley.

HIS LAST RIDE.

Napanee, Ont., Oct. 3.—John O'Rourke, a boy about 14 years old, while standing on a freight train in the G. T. R. yard yesterday, was killed. The accident was caused by his attempting to jump from the train while moving.

CATCHING LEECHES FOR MARKET.

Bare Legs of Boys Are Used to Lure the Bloodsuckers From the Swamp.

New York Press.

James Paritt and his children earn all the money they make, raising leeches. For the work of breeding the blood-suckers on the Paritt farm, on Toms River, near Lacy, N. J., is nothing compared with the labor of catching them. The wary leech will take hold of nothing but human flesh, so the members of the Paritt family, big and little, plunge their legs into the swamp and draw them up presently with the prey attached. Farmer Paritt does not seem to think a little blood-letting hurts one. "They're as good as a dose of spring physic," says he. "Way me and the boys get so fat and healthy doing nothing all winter that we need something like this to keep us in order. If we fished too long at a time they might do us some harm, but we know better. It's where the season is over we feel fresher and better than if we hadn't been leeching. They are just like mosquitoes—they suck out the blood and leave the good, and that's why, I suppose, we feel so good, after a month's work in the swamp. I think we'd all have malaria down in the wet place if it wasn't for the leeches. No man could wade through such a mudhole without getting malaria, unless something helped him."

His farm yields 500,000 leeches a year, and the price, 20 or 30 cents for 10, gives an annual income of \$1,000 to the family. The market is New York or Philadelphia, where the leeches are distributed to the trade.

Half a century ago this would have been a great business, but the belief in leeches has fallen off in this country. Europe clings to the practice, and Paris consumes 3,000,000 leeches yearly, while London finds use for over 7,000,000 a year. The leech has three jaws, when wading, discovered the presence of the leeches in his swamps. He looked up the subject, and decided that he would supply the American market, which hitherto had depended on Europe. He found that buyers preferred the Hungarian fellow of olive green without spots, or else the German leech, with dark green body, spotted below with black. He got a few specimens and put them in the pond. They multiply rapidly after their enemies, the water snakes, were exterminated, and soon the first leech pond in the country was established. The young are ready for market in about a year, but reproduction takes three years. The average life of a leech is fifteen or twenty years. Usually a healthy man can inhale in the swamp four or five hours without losing enough blood to exhaust him. The leech has three jaws, and from 20 to 30 teeth. When these get going, in a short time, the leech will swallow five times its weight in blood.

All this is more pleasant than the practice elsewhere about New York of fattening leeches for the market on decrepit old horses which have been condemned to the bonfire.

THE ONE THING ESSENTIAL. Mrs. Noyes—Children! children! Can't you get along without making such a terrible racket?

Nellie Noyes—No, mamma; we can't. Willie's playing 'he's papa,' coming home late at night.

WHY HIGHLANDERS WEAR KILTS. The late Sir Augustus Harris used to tell this story of the late Sir Henry Parkes. It seems that Sir Henry was at a municipal function in Scotland, and a foreign bishop, who had seen every lick of the world, and who was over for a holiday visit, was also present. As the party was being escorted by a body of men in Highland costume, the bishop, seeing the bare legs and kilts, asked why these men were without trousers.

"It's just a local custom," gravely replied Sir Henry. "In some places people take off their hats as a mark of honor to distinguished guests. Here they take off their trousers." "The bishop raised his eyebrows until they became entangled with the black hair," remarked Sir Henry, "but he did not for a minute question my explanation."

MISS MARY TAYLOR, who is said to have been the heroine of the poem, "Mary Had a Little Lamb," died recently in Somerville, Mass.

A CHIC POQUE.

Portraying the partiality for fruit as a trimming is a chic little toque. This is built up on a foundation of green straw, with important-looking bows of cherry-colored velvet. Each bow consists of two small loops, one long, and an end. Behind them is another, just an ordinary one of two loops and an end, and a double tie-over to make it stand erect and firm. The bows of shaded cherries and foliage are needed to complete it.

No one need fear cholera or any summer complaint, if they have a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial ready for use. It corrects all looseness of the bowels promptly, and causes a healthy and natural action. This is a medicine adapted for the young and old, rich and poor, and is rapidly becoming the most popular medicine for cholera, dysentery, etc., in the market.

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Montreal Stock Market.

Quebec.....	100	Portman.....	100
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Local Market.

Reported by A. M. Hamilton & Son,
London, Friday, Oct. 9.

There were only one or two loads of oats, about the same of wheat, seven or eight of hay, and a few loads of straw on the market today.

The prices paid were the same as yesterday, with the exception of oats, a poor lot of which sold at 50c, that would not have brought over 40c had it not been for the scarcity.

Wheat sold at 1 1/2.

The following list gives figures for the latest transactions in the leading staples:

MEAT, HIDE, ETC.	
Beef, quarters, per lb.	3 1/2 to 4
Mutton, quarters, per lb.	3 1/2 to 4
Veal, quarters, per lb.	3 1/2 to 4
Lamb, quarters, per lb.	3 1/2 to 4
Pork, quarters, per lb.	3 1/2 to 4
Butter, per lb.	3 1/2 to 4
Eggs, per doz.	3 1/2 to 4
Flour, per 100 lbs.	3 1/2 to 4
Wheat, per 100 lbs.	3 1/2 to 4
Oats, per 100 lbs.	3 1/2 to 4
Hay, per 100 lbs.	3 1/2 to 4
Straw, per 100 lbs.	3 1/2 to 4

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Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Wheat—The offerings are small, the demand is good, and the market is firmer; cars of mixed sold today at 70c, and 71-72c is quoted for white, west, Manitoba wheat is firmer; cars of No. 1 hard wheat, Toronto and west, today, at 81c; No. 1 hard is quoted at 82c; Montreal freight, and at 72c; No. 2 hard, 70c; No. 3 hard, 68c; No. 4 hard, 66c.

Flour is in fair demand and firm; cars of straight roller sold at a water point today at 35c.

Milled is in moderate demand and steady, at 38 to 39 for shorts and 37 for bran west.

Barley—There is practically no in-

quiry for export; No. 1 is nominal, at 34c; No. 1 extra at 36c, and No. 2 at 32c, outside.

Rye is quoted at 22c, west.

Corn is steady, at 26c for mixed and 27c for yellow, west.

Oats are in fair demand and firm; cars of mixed sold north and west today at 19c, and white at 20c, north and west, and middle freight.

Outmeal—The market is 10c higher; cars sold today at 22 1/2 for bags and 22 1/2 for barrels; broken lots are quoted at 22 1/2 for bags and 22 1/2 for barrels.

Peas are steady; 7 cars sold north and west today at 42c.

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The Oil Markets.

PETROLEA.
Petroleum, Oct. 9.—Oil opened and closed at 21 1/2 today.

English Markets.

(Bertholm's Report by Cable.)
Liverpool, Oct. 9.—2:25 p.m.

Wheat—Spot firm; futures firm; near and distant positions 4d higher.

Corn—Spot firm; futures firm; near and distant positions 1/2d higher.

Barley—Spot firm; futures firm; near and distant positions 1/2d higher.

Beans—Spot firm; futures firm; near and distant positions 1/2d higher.

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Dairy Markets.

CHEESE SOLD.

Nearly all the cheese in the vicinity of Kingston has been bought up by dealers at 9c to 10c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 8.—Butter firm; State dairy, 10c to 11c; do, creamery, 11-12c to 12-13c; do, factory, 7c to 8c; Eggs, 17-18c; do, small, 7c to 8c; do, part skim, 3-4c to 4-5c; full skim, 2c to 2-1/2c.

LONDON.

Lindsay, Oct. 8.—The Victoria County Cheese Board met here today; 1,075 cheese offered. Sales: At 10 1/2-10 for 413 boxes; balance at 10 1/2-10.

The Apple Market.

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Sold at 25c, 40c, 50c and 60c per pound.

'Twixt Love and Duty.

"Then why did you ask her tonight?
It would have been better had your
father spoken first to Mr. Cohen."
"I did not ask Miriam tonight. She
saw me all she could. She was in
the store as I passed, and I saw her.
This is what she said to me: 'Bram,
dear Bram, I fear that you begin to
love me, because I think of you very
often. And my grandfather has just
told me that I am promised to Judah
Belasco, of London. In the summer
he will come here and I shall marry
him. I wish, mother, you could have
seen her leaning against the black
kiss, for between it and her eyes
her face was white as death, and
beautiful and pitiful as an angel.'
"What said you then?"
"Oh, I scarce know. But I told her
how deeply I loved her, and I asked
her to be my wife."
"And she said what to thee?"
"My father I must obey. Though
he told me to stay myself, I must obey
him. By the God of Israel I have
promised it often."
"Was that all, Bram?"
"I asked her again and again. I
said: 'Only in this one thing, Miriam,
and all our lives after it we will give
to him. But she answered: 'Obadi-
once is better than sacrifice. Bram,
that is what our law teaches. Though
I could give my father the wealth and
the power of King Solomon, it would
be worth less than obedience.' And,
for all my pleading, at the last it was
the same. 'I cannot do wrong, for
many rich deeds will not undo one
wrong one.' So she gave me her hands
and I kissed them—my first and last
kiss—and I had her farewell, for my
hope is over. I know that."
"She is a good girl. I wish that you
had won her, Bram." And Leggett put
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ory will this beautiful Miriam be as
long as thou lives; and to have loved
well a good woman will make thee
always a better man for it."

CHAPTER XII.

The trusting, generous letter which
Joris had written to his son-in-law
a few days before Hyde's de-
parture for London. With every de-
cent show of pleasure and gratitude
he said: "It is an unexpected piece of
good fortune, Katherine, and the in-
terest of \$5,000 will keep Hyde Manor
up in fine style. As for the principal,
we will leave it at Secor's until it can
be invested in land. What say you?"
Katherine was quite satisfied; for
though naturally careful of all put
under her own hand, she was at heart
very far from being either selfish or
mercenary. In fact, the silver cup was
at that hour of more real interest to
her. It would be a part of her old
home in her new home. It was con-
nected with her life memories, and it
made a portion of her future hopes
and dreams. There was also some-
thing more tangible about it than
about the bit of paper certifying to
\$5,000 in her name at Secor's Bank.
But Hyde knew all the importance
of Katherine's fortune. It enabled
him to face his relations and friends
on a very much better footing than he
had anticipated. He was quite aware,
too, that the simple fact was all that
society needed. He expected to hear
in a few days that the \$5,000 had be-
come \$50,000; for he knew that humor,
when on the board, would magnify
any kind of gossip, favorable or un-
favorable. So he was no longer averse
to meeting his former companions—
even to them, a rich wife would ex-
cuse matrimony. Hyde, besides, was
one of those men who regard
money in the bank as a kind of good
conscience; he really felt morally
\$5,000 the better. Full of hope and
happiness, he would have gone at a
pace to suit his mood, but English
roads at that date were left very
much to nature and to weather; and
the Norfolk clay in springtime was so
deep and heavy that it was not until
the third day after leaving that he was
able to report for duty.
His first social call was paid to his
maternal grandmother, the Dowager
Lady Capel. She was not a nice old
woman; in fact, she was a very spite-

Caller Herrin'

Who'll buy Caller Herrin',
They're bonny fish,
Who'll buy Caller Herrin',
They're bonny fish,
New drawn frae the Forth?
When ye're sleepin' on your pillows
Dream'd ye ought o' our poor fellows
Daykin' as they faced the billows
A' to fill the woven willows?

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full, ill-behaved, ill-tempered old
woman, and Hyde had always had a cer-
tain fear of her. When he landed in
London with his wife, Lady Capel had
fortunately been at Bath, and he had
then escaped the duty of presenting
Katherine to her. But she was now at
her mansion in Berkeley Square, and
her claims upon his attention could not
be postponed. And as she had neither
eyes nor ears in the evening for any-
thing but too or whist, Hyde knew
that a conciliatory visit would have to
be made in the early part of the day.
He found her in the most careless
deshabille, wigless and unpainted, and
rolled up comfortably in an old wadded
morning gown, that had seen years of
such service. But she had outlived her
vanity. Hyde had chosen the very
hour in which she had nothing what-
ever to amuse her, and he was a very
welcome interruption. And, upon the
whole, she liked her grandson. She
had paid his gambling debts twice,
she had taken the greatest interest in
his various duels, and she had passion-
ately with him in one abortive love
affair.

"Dick is no misnomer," she would say,
approvingly, when told of any of his
escapades—"Faith! he has my spirit
exactly! I have a great deal more
temper than anyone would believe
capable of"—which was not the truth,
for there were few people who really
knew her husband, who ever felt
inclined to doubt her capabilities in
that direction.

So she heard the rattle of Hyde's
swords and the clatter of his feet on
the polished stairs, with a good deal
of satisfaction. "I have him here, and
he shall do my best to keep him here,"
she thought. "Why should a proper
young fellow, like Dick, bury himself
alive in the fens for a Dutchman? He
is in short, she has had enough, and too
much of him. His grandmother has a
prior claim. I hope and then Arabella
Suffolk will help me—I foresee much
chief and amusement. Well, Dick,
you rascal; so you have had to leave
America! I expected it. Oh, I have
heard all about you from Ade-
laide. You are not to be trusted,
either among men or women. And
pray, where is the wife you made such
a fracas about? Is she in London with
you?"

"No, madam; she preferred to remain
at Hyde, and I have no happiness be-
yond her desire."
"Here's fame! Here's constancy!
And you have been married a whole
year! I am struck with admiration!"
A whole year—a year of divine
happiness, she assured you.

"Lord, sir! You will be the laughing-
stock of the whole town if you talk
in such fashion. They will have you
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"What is the town doing now?"
"Oh, balls, and dances, and wed-
dings, and other follies. Thank the
moon, men and women never get
weary of these things."
"Then you have not ceased to enjoy
them, I hope?"
"I still take my share. Old folks
will hobble after young ones. I ride
a little and visit a little, and have
small societies quite to my taste.
And I have my four things and ac-
count that is saying everything. I want
you to go to the diversions, Dick,
and pray tell me what they say of
me behind my back. I like to know
how much I annoy people."
"I shall not listen to anything un-
flattering, I assure you."
"I, Dick! You can't fight a rout
of women and men about your grand-
mother. I don't want you to fight,
not even if they talk about Arabella
and you. It is none of their business,
and as for Sir Thomas Suffolk, he
hears nothing outside the House, and
he thinks every Whig in England is
watching him—a pompous old fool!"
"Oh, indeed! I had an idea that he
was a very merry fellow."
(To be Continued.)

AMATEUR CYCLIST

Wants Bicycle Riders and the Public to
Know That He Was Cured by
Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Toronto, Oct. 5.—People generally,
who take an interest in cycling, as
well as amateurs and professionals
everywhere, will remember a name
familiar in sporting events—Mr. Louis
H. Bounnell, who resides at 573 King
street east, this city. Bicycle riders
will be especially pleased to learn that
his reappearance this season in good
form is due to his entire recovery
from serious kidney trouble, which had
for a long time been interfering with
his work. He desires all his friends
as well as the public to know that
his recovery is entirely due to using
three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

A free school for teaching the Rus-
sian language has been established at
Soudon, the capital of Corea. It has
46 pupils ranging in age from twenty
to forty years.
SLEEPLESSNESS is due to nerv-
ous excitement. The delicately con-
stituted, the financier, the business
man, and those whose occupation re-
quires great mental strain or wor-
ry, all suffer less or more from it.
It is the great restorer of a wearied
brain, and to get sleep clear the
stomach from all impurities with a
few doses of Parmentier's Vegetable
Pills, which contain no opium, no
mercury, and are guaranteed to give
satisfaction or the money will be re-
turned.

Russia is trying to increase the
speed of her railroads. The journey
from St. Petersburg to Moscow was
recently made at the rate of 46 miles
an hour.
Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial.
It removes corns and blisters in a
few days without any pain. What it
has done once it will do again.

Western Ontario.

Breach of Promise Case in Perth—
Plaintiff Wins.

The Death of James Keadry, Chatham,
Was Accidental—The Wallaceburg
Fair.

Chatham has decided to put in an
electric fire alarm system.
The coroner's jury at Chatham in
the case of the late Mr. James Ken-
dery returned a verdict of accidental
death.

The new furniture factory at Ayl-
mer will be run by the D. S. Cliff Co.,
which is principally composed of God-
rich, Chisholm, and others.
Messrs. Acheson, Cliff, Armour and
Sparling.

In Oshkosh vs. Township of South-
wood, action for damages for injuries
received by plaintiff, owing to the de-
fective condition of a highway, Justice
Armour found for plaintiff, awarding
him \$700 and costs.

Angus Reid, Strathallen, has died at
the ripe age of 76 years. He had been
a resident of that township for many
years, and was highly respected. Mr.
Reid had been twice married, and
leaves a wife and large family to
mourn his loss.

Miss Mary, daughter of D. S. Rob-
erts, second line, Plympton, met with
a serious accident lately, having
arisen in her sleep, and walked out
of an upper window, falling 14 or 16
feet to the ground, sustaining
serious bodily injuries. She is now in
a critical condition.

The extradition papers in the case
of J. H. Underwood, wanted in Houston,
Texas, on the charge of murder, ar-
rived at Woodstock from Ottawa. Un-
derwood was handed over to the Am-
erican detective on Wednesday, who
lost no time in deporting him.

Thirteen-year-old Walter Kennedy,
son of John Kennedy, Milton street,
Stratford, was served with a sum-
mons to appear in police court on a
charge of larceny. Rather than stand
the ordeal, Walter and a companion,
Samuel Pawson, ran away. Pawson
returned.

Joseph Jones appeared before the
Ingersoll magistrate to answer the
charge of forging the name of one
of his friends to a note. As there was
no case made out against Mr. Jones
he was honorably discharged, with
costs paid to Mr. Christopher, the
complainant.

On Sunday evening, while preparing
for church, Angus, the little child of
Mr. Archibald Macdonald, Manulac,
aged about 3 years, fell into the cis-
tern, and was just dead when extri-
cation was effected. His father, who
had been by his side, made every effort
to revive him, but without success.

Friends of Capt. St. Amour, of Wal-
laceburg, who mysteriously disap-
peared, have been referred to several
times in The Advertiser, have made
application to the Attorney-General's
department for the services of the
Provincial Detective Bureau, to trace
the missing man.

At a meeting at McKinnin's school
house, near St. Mary's, recently a
farmer's apple syndicate was formed
for the purpose of shipping their own
apples, and securing the advantage of
the British markets for their fruit. All
arrangements were completed, and W.
Mills, of Lakeside, was appointed sec-
retary-treasurer for the county.

A writ has been issued in the Su-
perior county courts against W. J.
Wright, of Hamilton, in which Miss
Rachel Gordon, of Goderich, claims
\$2,000 damages. The defendant is a
commercial traveler, and the action is
said to be over an affair of the heart,
in which Miss Gordon claims \$2,000
damages. Wright denies the charge,
and says that he has nothing to do with
the matter.

Mrs. Hattie Garner and Wm. Mc-
Comas came before Magistrate Field
in Woodstock to answer to the charge
of murdering the former's husband,
Levi Gardner, the colored man who
was found shot at his house. No new
evidence was adduced, and the case
was adjourned. The theory of sul-
licide is growing stronger every day,
and there is a feeling that the sus-
pects should be liberated.

The fall fair at Wallaceburg, while
proving a failure financially, owing
to the heavy rainfall, was one of the
best fall fairs ever held in the town.
The entries exceeded those of last
year by 300, and the department par-
ticularly those of fruits, roots, and
ladies' wares were crowded. While
there was a deficit in the sale of prizes,
the management is to be con-
gratulated for having satisfied all claims
of competitors.

At the jury session for the county of
Lanark, Hon. Mr. Justice Street pre-
siding, Crown Prosecutor represented
crown. Brownline vs. Moodie was a
breach of promise. The defendant
claimed defendant became engaged to
marry her, evidencing the proposed
union by the present of a ring, which
he had engraved their joint ini-
tials. Defendant did not appear. The
jury awarded plaintiff \$350.

A TERRIBLE CHARGE.

Tramps Caught Riding on Connecting
Trains Said to be Murdered
by Train Hands.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 9.—Ten
bodies, mangled by being run over by
trains have been found on the tracks
of the Consolidated within the past six
months, and the police believe that
brakemen of the road have been mur-
dering tramps caught on that line.

A man named Moloney, from
Brooklyn, was shot twice and thrown
from a train by the train hands, but
survived his injuries and has given
information to the authorities, which
led to the arrest of a brakeman nam-
ed Bean. The latter is said, has
confessed to the superintendent of po-
lice of New Haven that the trainmen
made it a practice to kill tramps found
on their cars.

Nothing Hunts Out Corns.
Like tight boots. Corns are very small
affairs, but apply to them a pair
of tight boots and all other concerns of
life sink into insignificance. Tight
boots and those who wear them are
the great and only cure for corns.
The great and only cure for corns
may go together, and comfort will be
their partner, but don't fail to use
Putnam's Corn Extractor. Frauds,
cheap, poisonous, and dangerous sub-
stitutes, are in the market. Beware
of them. Putnam's Patent Corn Ex-
tractor. Putnam & Co., proprietors,
Kingston.

Many advertisers in this paper are
kind enough to send us from time to
time favorable results which have ac-
crued from their casual or continuous
advertisements. Naturally, we are
glad to receive such information.
When an advertiser writes us, big
or little, in The Advertiser, has helped
you, let us know about it.

BUSINESS SITUATION.

Don & Co.'s Report of the State of Trade
in Canada.

Toronto, Oct. 9.—Messrs. R. G. Dun
& Co.'s weekly statement of trade in
Canada says:
The result of extended inquiry
among drygoods, woolen and clothing
houses in Montreal as to how the 4th
of October paper ran off, would tend
to show that the proportion paid was
a fair average. A few houses pro-
fessed disappointment with results,
but the general run state that pay-
ments were up to their expectations,
and in so many cases that improvement,
though not marked, was noticeable in
remittances, while several houses re-
ported from 60 to 65 per cent of cus-
tomers' paper provided for. Liberal
shipments of butter to Britain are re-
ported for last week, with prices fairly
maintained. Prices of some of the
quaintest of local values, while cable
quotations for late makes are advanced,
money market is without changes
of importance.

There is a fair volume of trade in
wholesale departments at Toronto. The
colder weather is favorable for heavy
goods, and prospects generally are
considered satisfactory. Prices of most
of the staple goods are firm at the late ad-
vances, and woolens are steady. The
higher prices of wheat and flour are
well held, although they check busi-
ness to some extent. The better prices
for many descriptions of farm produce
will improve the conditions of farmers
and ultimately have a beneficial effect
on trade. The export trade in apples
has been unusually heavy and is un-
commonly low. Cheese, however,
continues to show slight advances, and
dressed meats are somewhat firmer. The
local financial situation shows little
change.

Prime paper is discounted at 6 to
6 1/2 per cent, and call loans on choice
stock collateral are obtainable at 5
per cent. Montreal Gas and Toronto
Street Railway shares are heavy, the
selling being better than the buying.
Railway issues generally are inclined
toward a lower level.

The failures for the week are 46,
against 52 for the like week last year.

CHASED BY A SHARK.

Good Fish Story Telegraphed From
Cuba.

Havana, Oct. 8.—An incident far
beyond the ordinary run of events oc-
curred in the bay here. A man in a
sailboat was making his way across
the water, when, incidentally, an un-
usually large shark entered the bay.
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help. The boat was moving very slowly,
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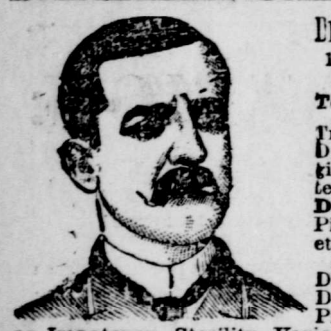
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FAIR WEATHER.

Toronto, Oct. 2—11 p.m.—Pressure is
comparatively low in the Gulf of St.
Lawrence and over the Western
States, and decidedly high in the lake
region and the Ottawa Valley. Light
showers have occurred in Quebec and
the Maritime Provinces; elsewhere the
weather has been fair.
Minimum and maximum tempera-
tures:
Esquimaux, 46-56; Calgary, 18-50;
Qu'Appelle, 26-48; Winnipeg, 34-56;
Port Arthur, 24-44; Parry Sound, 36-
38; Toronto, 26-45; Ottawa, 36-46; Mon-
treal, 28-46; Quebec, 40-46; Halifax,
48-58.

PROBABILITIES.
Toronto, Oct. 3—1 a.m.—Probabil-
ities for 24 hours for lower lake region:
Winds shifting to east and south; fair;
stationary or slightly higher tempera-
ture.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest readings of
the thermometer at the observatory
yesterday were 46 above and 25.5
below.

A Bulb Window.

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VENUS AND MERCURY.

Lowell Observatory, Flagstaff, Ariz.,
Oct. 2.—The astronomers here have
discovered that the planets Mercury
and Venus each rotates once on its
axis during its revolution around the
sun. These planets have therefore
only one day in each of their years.
Venus has a dense atmosphere, while
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Richmond streets at 7:30 p.m.

London and Environs

—Miss Taylor, Piccadilly street, is
the guest of Miss Annie McLaren, St.
Marys.

—Mr. B. L. Reid, of the Bank of
Commerce here, has been spending his
holidays in Dundas.

—Bishop Baldwin will preach both
morning and evening in St. James'
Church, St. Marys, on Nov. 1.

—Mrs. Wm. Scembrace and three lit-
tle daughters of South London, are the
guests of Mrs. N. McAvoy, Exeter.

—The new Y. M. C. A. building will
be opened the middle of next month.
Mr. A. B. Lewis will be janitor and
Mr. Frank Holman the gymnastic in-
structor.

—No. 2 committee of the School
Board, accounts to the amount
of \$53 64 last night. The School
Down Company will be notified that
the two north rooms of the Collegiate
Institute are not properly ventilated.

—The stock of E. French, candy
and fruit dealer, was sold yesterday
by Mr. J. W. Jones for 41 cents on
the dollar. The Howie estate was
offered for sale, but bids were not up
to the reserve.

—Mrs. Malcolm Leitch, of Moss, met
with a most distressing and serious
accident the other day, which it is
feared may prove fatal. The unfor-
tunate lady was kicked in the face
by a horse, breaking her jaw
and otherwise disfiguring her face.
Mrs. Leitch is the mother of the lad
who was recently killed through an
accident with a team of horses.

The King Street Epworth League
Reading Circle has elected officers as
follows: Honorary president, Rev.
E. Middleton; president, Mr. W. E.
Townsend; vice-president, Mr. Stace-
ler; secretary-treasurer, Miss Welburn;
registrars, Mr. H. Sutherland; leaders,
Mrs. Middleton and Miss Miller; coun-
sellors, Miss Pinney, Mr. Dennis and
Mr. McNaughton.

A meeting of the creditors of Mr.
D. Ferguson, boot and shoe merchant,
was held at the law office of Messrs.
Gibbons, Mulken & Harper here on
Wednesday. The financial statement
of the late firm was held at the office
of the assets \$9,625 75. Mr. Ferguson's
offer for a settlement was not accept-
ed, and it was decided to liquidate the
estate. C. B. Armstrong, of this city,
was confirmed as assignee, and J. B.
Davidson and J. M. Glenn, of St.
Thomas, were appointed inspectors.
The stock-in-trade, amounting to
\$9,501 75, was sold by auction here
on Friday, Oct. 1.

—The following from the Canada
Presbyterian refers to a former re-
spected pastor of the King Street
Presbyterian Church at East London.
"Rev. Walter M. Roger, M.A., of
North Pelham, Ontario, whose aid in
special evangelistic services has al-
ready been called for and enjoyed by
many of our ministers, was at the
last meeting of the Hamilton Presbytery
released from his pastoral charge. He
might, as has long been his desire,
devote himself wholly to the service
of the church in evangelistic work.
He leaves an attached people to en-
gage in this department of labor in
the church at what he feels to be the
call of duty, and as affording him the
largest sphere of usefulness. His pas-
torate closes on Oct. 31, and from that
date his services will be available for
his chosen field of work."

THANK-OFFERING.
The annual thank-offering meeting
of the auxiliary branch of the Wo-
men's Foreign Missionary Society, and
Ladies' Aid, in connection with the
First Presbyterian Church, London,
was held last night. It was successful
from beginning to end, alike in at-
tendance and interest.

Mrs. C. W. Leonard gave an admir-
able Bible reading, in which the mer-
ciful calling for thanksgiving were re-
counted.
The pleasure of the gathering was
added to by the singing of Miss
Nellie Burnip and Miss Templeton.

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had was got from your house. Will
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me if you do handle Bark-well's, and if
so, would it be possible to send by
mail? If I am mistaken, can you tell
me what firms do handle it? I WANT
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you soon, and wishing you compli-
ments of the season, believe me, yours
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sions. Mrs. Boomer was her own
bright, dignified and earnest self, and
all present were more than delighted
with her stimulating but all too brief
address.
After the regular programme re-
freshments were served.
The platform was prettily decorated
with palms and flowers.
The sum of \$75 was contributed as a
thank-offering.

Central Avenue Work.

One Block to be Curbed Graveled
and Rolled.

**Committee Room Repairs Discussed—
Communications and Other
Matters Dealt With.**

The Board of Works held its regu-
lar meeting in the new committee
room, which is the one just vacated
by the city engineer. The only ques-
tion which disturbed the usual quiet-
ude of the committee was one by Ald.
Cooper, who asked when the work was
going to be done on Central avenue.
The engineer spoke of the action
and the discussion which took place
at the last meeting regarding the mat-
ter. He had stated that it would be
a waste of money and gravel to put
250 cords of gravel on this street,
and after inspection the chairman and
member for the ward had thought so
too, and that Ald. Cooper had de-
cided, instead of putting 250 cords of
gravel on the street, to curb one
block from Wellington street to Wat-
erloo, and gravel and roll it.
Ald. Dreaney-Well, Mr. Engineer,
what right have you to do this work
before it is sanctioned by this com-
mittee?

The Engineer—This committee de-
cided to have the street repaired, and
that is what Ald. Cooper agreed to
have done.

Ald. Dreaney—We might as well
stay home if this sort of thing is go-
ing to be carried out. The street could
be left as it is.
Ald. Parnell said the course decided
on by the committee was one by Ald.
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Ald. Dreaney—I guess not, I like
to see things done through the com-
mittee. The appropriations for that
ward have been spent long ago.

Ald. Parnell-Well, as long as I am
chairman of the committee, I am
not going to pay much attention to the
ward system, but do the work where
it is in the best interests of the city.
The work will be done at once.

Ald. Parnell then brought up the
matter of fixing up the committee
room.

Ald. Pritchard thought the work
need not be done this year. He said
there was a complaint all around that
there is no money, and he thought
they could do the room as it is.

The engineer said it would cost
about \$200 to fix it up—\$50 for floor-
ing, \$50 for a new ceiling, and \$100
for electric lighting apparatus, and a
new table for the reporters.

Ald. Pritchard moved that the mat-
ter go to next year's council.
Ald. Dreaney, seconded by Ald. Co-
oper, moved that the matter be referred
to the council for action, and if they
wanted it done they could provide the
money. This was carried.

Ald. Pritchard drew attention to the
fact that High street was in such a
bad condition that residents could not
get into their yards with a wagon.
Ald. Dreaney said the street railway
company had blocked the sewer at the
corner of the Hamilton road and Rec-
tory street.

The engineer was instructed to have
the street repaired, and charge the
cost to the city.

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SEARCHING THE FUTURE.
At 2 a.m.: Johnson (gloomily)—I
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I get home?
Thomson (more gloomily)—I wonder
what mine will do!

HANDS AND FEET GOT STIFF
As Though Paralyzed.
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