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EDITORIAL NOTES.
 The story of the life of young King who shot his employer's son, is a hard one. What was to be expected from such a life? What portion of the blame for its shipwreck is due to society? Does it pay to furnish farmers with that sort of help?

Toronto Star: One thing the shirring public may rest assured of, is that however severe the fuel famine may become this winter, the saloon doors will swing easily on their hinges and a big, hot fire blaze in the barroom stove. No kind of famine is ever so severe that it can reach the saloon.

Brisban and Vinnac, two poor introverts who have been suing Carnegie's concern for infringement of their patent for the system of handling logs or rolls, have won their case and now every steel mill in the United States will have to settle with them if the court's decision stands. They may yet be able to enjoy libraries.

The Christian Guardian is to have a new editor, Rev. G. R. Bond, who has been editor of the Halifax-Weekend for the past eight years, and who is a brother of Sir Robert Bond, Premier of Newfoundland. Rev. Dr. Carman retains the office of General Superintendent of the Methodist Church, which he has occupied for thirteen years.

Quebec Gazette: A professional hustler is proving a great attraction in a Chicago church. All the seats are taken, and even the vestibule is crowded. No doubt a "loop-loop" artist would be another drawing card, even though the gentleman might come to a statistic at the top of the loop, and be compelled to go back.

The city papers have been in the habit of poking fun at the country editor, says the Forest Free Press, who receive cordwood on subscription account, but things have changed. The country editor who has his back yard full of wood has the head of the wood-burner funny city editor, who would like to even see some of that wood!

A Carnegie library problem has been solved under United States law which may be of interest to persons living under British law. A public library was erected in Grove City, Pa., with a gift of \$18,000 upon condition that \$1,800 annually be appropriated by the borough for its maintenance. Some disgusted ratepayers objected to this tax and the courts decided that the borough had no right to enter into such an agreement without having received the sanction of a popular vote. The tax accordingly could not be enforced.

The result of a series of interviews by the Toronto World is to maintain that neither party favors a coalition Government for Ontario. The Liberals hope that their majority will be increased by the by-elections and the Tories will strain a muscle to wipe out the small majority which Mr. Ross now has. Let us hope that it will be time enough to talk of the terms of peace at

King's Evil
 This disease is really responsible for a large mortality.
 Consumption is commonly its outgrowth. It is no excuse for neglecting it, if its presence is known by so many signs, such as glandular tumors, cancerous nodules, inflamed eyelids, sore ears, rickets, wasting and general debility.
 (Witness of J. W. McGinn, Woodstock, Ont., had scrofula sores so bad they could not attend school for three months. When various kinds of medicines had been used without success, according to Mr. McGinn's voluntary statement.)
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 has effected the most wonderful and permanent cure of scrofula.

the end of the battle. Mr. Whitney would not feel comfortable serving under Mr. Ross, and no Liberal yearns to serve under Mr. Whitney.

The determination of the Trades and Labor Congress to establish a national union and cut away from the United States organizations is a wise one. It will strengthen the Canadian working men by causing national sympathy to go with them and probably prevent many of the evils which arise from foreign association.

Winnipeg Free Press: The Conservative policy is a policy of higher duties; and higher duties mean higher prices for the articles of every day use and necessity which the Western Canadian has to buy. Mr. Borden and all his followers in Parliament have thrown themselves into the arms of the manufacturers, whom they beseech by their high tariff pledges, session after session, to carry them back into power, bidding themselves to reward their benefactors by protective legislation heavily taxing goods from all other countries, including Great Britain. By this mortgaging themselves in the East, they have cast away every chance of Conservative success in the West. The issue is plainly drawn, and has to be faced by the Conservative party in this part of the Dominion.

The Toronto World, arguing that the gravest political issue in Ontario to-day is the one raised by the greed and power of corporations, especially of those owning municipal franchises, says:

"The corporations are prepared to keep in office any set of politicians who will further their ends; and they are willing to subscribe, and they do subscribe, to the fund of the ruling party, and they are prepared to smother the opinions of the party in Opposition in the same way."

And the Montreal Herald adds: "Let the World fail to recognize that what it so truly declares is the attitude of the corporations seeking franchises is also that of its friends, the tariff raisers, with this difference: They are prepared to support any set of politicians, in or out of office, who will agree to support their selfish demands."

Writing to the Seafarer Expositor from Hannah, N.D., Mr. J. B. Jamieson, until a year ago resident in Brucefield, Ont., thus gives his sentiments on the way prohibition operates in his new home:

Prohibition is but a name. We have it here; and you can get all the drink you want from the drug stores. It is terrible to see the young boys going about the street with bottles in their pockets, and it looks down any back lane, the number of bottles would amaze you, while every leading road out of town is strewn with bottles. I saw that some one had given you a description of prohibition in Grand Forks, stating how well prohibition is enforced there. I know a commercial traveller from that city and asked him about it. He said that half of the city was in Minnesota and the other half in this State, so that the people there can get all they want in one half the city, and that is why prohibition is so well enforced in the other half.

Should Depend on Themselves.
 (Seafarer Expositor, Lib.)

Rather than a return to higher tariff, the feeling among many is that the Government have not gone far enough. The lower duties and the British preference established by the Laurier Government were a step in the right direction, as a great step, perhaps, as the conditions of commerce would permit of at the time, but as opportunity offers the tariff should be lowered here and there until the necessities of life are placed in such a position as to allow the working man and the farmer to purchase them at the very lowest price. It will be contended by some that such a policy would be disastrous to our manufacturers, and would tend to lessen the value of the home market to the farmer. We do not think so. For years the manufacturers were paupered and bolstered up by a high tariff, until now it is time they were able to stand on their own legs and give the farmer a chance to purchase his goods at the cheapest market. He has to contend in the world's market against all costs, and why not the manufacturer? The manufacturer has the advantage of contiguity to the consumer of his wares; he has all the natural facilities that foreign manufacturers have, and we think no one will dispute the fact that the Canadian mechanic is the equal, if not the superior, of any other on the face of the earth. The whole trouble lies in the fact that the manufacturers have too long looked to the Government for their help instead of to themselves. If they manufacture an article of equal merit with that of foreign manufacturers, and at a reasonable price, they have no need to fear competition in the world. This they must do. The country will not stand for higher protection, which means higher taxes, but looks to the Government for a gradual movement towards free trade lines.

Excursion to Port Hope.
 The annual excursion to Port Hope of the Ladies Aid Society of the Midland Methodist Church will be held this year on Sept. 27th, regular morning train only. Tickets good returning regular train Monday, Sept. 29th. Excursion tickets sold at all stations between Midland and Lindsay. Fare from Lindsay, adults 35c, children 50c. For particulars see poster; or G.T.R. agents.

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Business Men.
 When in need of anything in the line of commercial stationery, visiting cards, etc., leave your order at The Post job department. Workmanship unexcelled.

Thanksgiving Day.
 A rumor comes from Ottawa to the effect that Thanksgiving Day may be fixed for about the middle of October this year. That would be seemly and proper, and the newspapers of the country should press for the change. Humanly speaking, we know the sort of opinion we would form of the man who neglected to express within a reasonable period of time his appreciation of some favor rendered. Let us not wait till the fields are covered with a snowy mantle before returning thanks to the Lord of the Harvest.

Railway Notes.
 The other day a G.T.R. passenger special made a fast run between Toronto and Sarnia Tunnel, a distance of 170 miles, which was made in three hours and ten minutes. The run was covered at an average speed of 52 miles an hour, but including stops over 60 miles an hour made.

During the first three months of the present year 2,958 persons were wounded and 813 killed in railway accidents in the United States, the number including passengers and those getting in the way of trains. The number of collisions in the three months reached the large aggregate of 1256, and the number of derailments were 835.

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WOODVILLE FALL FAIR, HELD LAST WEEK.

A Large Crowd Present Sept. 17-18 to Witness the Speeding Events.
 The Eldon Agricultural Society's fall fair held at Woodville on Friday was well attended despite the threatening weather, about fifteen hundred people being present, including many from Lindsay, Cannington, Sunderland, Cambridge, Kirkfield, Beaverton, Oakwood, and other nearby points. In fact, the fair was better patronized by outsiders than by the people of Eldon township.

A Fair Show of Horses.
 There was not quite as good a showing of horses at this fair as would be expected, and the only reason to account for it is that probably the farmers of Eldon are giving attention to the breeding of horses and sheep rather than to the horse and sheep shows.

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this part of the Province famous for winning prizes at Ottawa, Belleville and Niagara races, was the people's favorite, and proved a winner in every best-looking class. It was a close competitor in the first heat but lost with a slight misstep in the second which reduced its chances. Dr. Forrest, the driver, was accidentally thrown from his seat, but managed to retain control of his horse. In the 2:30 trot Mr. W. H. Simpson's mare, Lahupitan, carried off the money in three straight heats. Four heats had to be run in the 2:45 event to decide the winner, and this was the only exciting race of the day. Maggie Vaughan and Brown's Gyp making close finishes. Yroonnan's Prize Winner had lots of go, but was a frequent breaker.

Following is a summary:
 Free-for-all—Fanning's Little Buck 1:11, Forrest's Looking Glass 2:32, Tucker's Maggie Bell 3:23. Best time, 2:22.
 2:30 Trot—Simpson's Lahupitan 1.1, Tucker's Looking Glass 2.1, Commodore K. 3:33. Best time, 2:29 1/2.
 2:45 Event—Willoughby's Maggie Vaughan 1:21.1, Brown's Gyp 3:12.2, Powell's Wilfred G. 2:33.3, McKay's Gating 4:44.4, Froonman's Prize Winner 5:55.5. Best time, 2:22.

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CONDEMNED BONUS SYSTEM.
 Ontario Municipal Association Favors Government Ownership of Telephones.
 Brockville, Sept. 12.—The Ontario Municipal Association met again yesterday. It was resolved:
 "That efforts be made to have the assessment laws amended."
 "That the Government be petitioned to obtain control of the telephone system."
 "That the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council be petitioned with a view to having the expense of registrations and elections for the Ontario Legislature borne by the Province."
 "The granting of bonuses by municipalities was condemned."
 "That a committee of the Association should prepare bills to be placed before the Legislature, with a view to securing amendments to the municipal laws."
 The following officers were elected for next year: President, R. P. Slater, ex-Mayor, Niagara Falls; first vice-president, John Kennedy, Mayor of Melph; second vice-president, W. B. Boe, Mayor of Barrie; secretary, S. H. Kent, Assistant City Clerk, Hamilton; assistant secretary, John T. Hall, Assistant Commissioner, Hamilton; Executive Council, Charles Collins, Mayor of Dundas; John Mearns, Mayor of Woodstock; Ald. W. H. Cliff, Toronto; Thomas Casswell, City Solicitor, Toronto; W. J. Henry, Mayor of Kincardine; F. Maclean, City Solicitor, Hamilton; C. A. Kingston, City Clerk, London. The convention then closed.

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