John D. Archbold, of the Standard Oil Company, told the United States Senate Committee last week that the company had contributed $125,000 to the Roosevelt campaign fund in 1904. He said he asked the late Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the fund, if the money would be acceptable, as the company did not want to make the contribution unless it would be thankfully received, and the answer was that Mr. Roosevelt would be a fair and conservative man and the policies of the Republican party were the safest for the business world. "We believed that our interests as a business organization lay on the Republican side," said Mr. Archbold, "and it was decided that we should make this contribution." Archbold further said that he had the assurance of Bliss that Roosevelt would hear of the contribution, so that he might have a friendly feeling towards Standard Oil."

Mr. Roosevelt denies any knowledge of the contribution. There seems to be no doubt that the money was given. Anyone who knows anything of political campaign methods knows that it is part of the game to keep details of corruption from the knowledge of candidates, but not all knowledge of it. It may be taken for granted that Roosevelt knew that he was under an obligation to the big oil trust. His own letters show that almost at the time that he was denouncing Harriman, the late railway king, he was accepting aid from him for campaign purposes.

Magistrate's Court.

R. J. Campbell, J. P., disposed of three cases on Monday morning.

George Homewood and Arnold Sherwood had a fight on Main Street, Monday, 19th inst., in which they rolled in the mud and got themselves well plastered with it. Chief Constable Chapman prosecuted. They were fined $5 each with costs.

On 19th inst., Robert Clarkson was found lying in the ditch on Mill Street, drunk and incapable. He was helped home. Later his wife was heard calling for protection lest he would kill her. Chief Constable Chapman was summoned. When he entered the house he found Clarkson in bed with his clothes and muddy boots on. Mrs. Clarkson begged the constable to let him alone and undertook to keep him indoors and off the street. The constable did not arrest the man, but later had him up for being drunk and incapable on Mill Street. Clarkson explained to the magistrate that he had not been drunk, that he had had a cramp in his stomach and had taken a single glass of brandy medicinally. He had simply become weak in his legs, so much so that he couldn't walk. His Worship took this with a big grain of salt and levied a fine of $5 and costs.

The magistrate warned the three men, who were all up for the first time, that the figure for a second appearance would be $15 and costs, that he was determined to put down disorder in Milton if stiff penalties would do it.

A Cyclone in Nelson.

Heavy storms were general on Monday evening and much inconvenience and damage were reported from Toronto, Brantford, Ridgetown, Galt, Guelph, Port Dover, Woodstock, Chatham, where hailstones were as large as eggs. Berlin, Sarnia, Kingston, London, Ottawa and elsewhere. Much damage was done by lightning, which killed a woman at Brittania, near Ottawa.

In Nelson the storm took the form of a whirlwind or cyclone. It began at Kilbride, on the Harrison farm, where bushels of apples were blown off the trees and carried some distance. Thence it crossed the Nixon farm, going southeast and whirling large stumps from a stump fence into the air. It moved on to the Lowville neighborhood where all the trees but eight in Emerson Colling's orchard were uprooted and carried off. John Dynes's buildings were damaged. Herbert Davidson's house was unroofed, his barn wrecked and his implements smashed with it. All his fruit trees except one were carried off. Further on, at Ash, though the circular motion was less notable, Henry Pell's silo was blown down. There was a heavy fall of huge hailstones after the wind abated, and outside of the path of the wind. They fell at Lowville and further on and some of them are reported to have measured nine inches in circumference. They were gathered at one point and used to freeze ice cream. As they were not accompanied by wind they broke no windows, but they smashed out the glass in the roof of Mr. Bradt's greenhouse at Lowville, more than 120 panes.

In Milton there was nothing more than a heavy rain. Lightning struck a tree and set fire to a rail fence on M. J. Carton's farm, in Esquesing, about three miles from Milton. At Hornby, during the same storm, about 5.30 p. m., R. E. May's fine, large bank barn was struck by lightning and burnt to the ground with its contents, 60 tons of hay, 8 loads of barley, 50 or 60 bushels of old wheat, a waggon, racks, separator, etc. The loss is heavy, but Mr. May was well insured. The appraiser of the insurance company has not yet called to make his inspection and award. Lightning killed seven of John Ellenton's sheep.

Baseball.

The P. L. Robertson Co. nine won from the Edwards Co. on Saturday, 9-5.

Screw Factory.	Runs.
Ryder	2
Sheldrick	1
Armstrong	0
Chisholm	1
Durno	1
Hilson	2
Kennedy	1
Sargant	1
Farlow	0
	9

Motor Factory.	
Pearcy	0
Sinclair	2
L. Maude	2
Galloway	0
H. Maude	0
Wilson	0
Roper	0
Brush	1
Panton	1
	6

Screw factory ....0 4 1 0 1 2 0 0 1—9
Motor factory ....0 0 0 1 0 1 2 0 2—6

How They Stand:

	Won.	Lost.
Motor factory	4	3
Screw factory	3	3
Town	2	3

The town and the screw factory will play next Saturday.

Single Fare for Labor Day

[illegible] Grand Trunk Railway System, [illegible] stations in Canada, also to [illegible] Port Huron, Mich., [illegible] Suspension Bridge and [illegible]. Tickets good going [illegible] 31st; September 1st [illegible] tickets valid for return [illegible] September 4th, 1912. [illegible] forty-five cents. [illegible] full particulars [illegible] Trunk Agent.

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Overwork and worry give rise to nervousness, sleeplessness, headaches, lack of ambition and lack of interest in your work, weak back, indigestion and sometimes a complete breakdown of the nervous system. On every hand you find victims of this kind and often they do not know what to do for themselves. If these are your symptoms you need a tonic, and the only way to tone up the nerves is through the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a direct nerve tonic because they enrich and build up the blood, and it is through the blood that the nerves are fed. Under their tonic influence nervousness, with all its attendant evils, disappears, and the worried sufferer again enjoys health and strength. Proof of the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in nervous troubles is given by Mrs. Laura Schoning, Lunenburg, who says:—"I was attacked with nervous trouble which almost drove me to distraction. It would be almost impossible for words to describe my condition. The least thing would startle me and leave me trembling for an hour. I had nervous headaches, and slept very badly at nights, some nights not at all. My appetite grew poor and I was really a physical wreck. I had been to several doctors and had taken many different medicines, but without any benefit. Then I read of a case similar cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I sent for a dozen boxes, fully believing it would take at least that many to cure me. You can judge of my gratitude, however, when I found that after using only half a dozen boxes I was again enjoying the best of health, and have since remained well and strong. I used the remainder of the pills among my children when they seemed out of sorts, and have found them at all times to be the very best of family medicines."

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OBITUARY.

WILLIAM WILSON.

The funeral of the late William Wilson, who died at Snelgrove, from the residence of his son-in-law, George Hogg, took place to Brampton cemetery on Saturday, Aug. 24th, at 2 o'clock, and was followed by a large concourse of friends. Mr. Wilson had been in failing health for over a year and a-half, and his death was looked for for some weeks.

He reached the good old age of 76 years, 4 months and 10 days, and had resided for the last 22 years near Milton.

He was born and raised in the township of Albion, county of Peel, on the old homestead, where his son William resides. He also owned what is known as the old Green farm on the side of the mountain, which Mr. Osmond now owns, and the old Orr farm on the 3rd line, on which his son, H. S. Wilson, resides. Besides his sons, he leaves three daughters to mourn his loss, Mrs. MacKerral, Model City, N. Y., Mrs. Herb. Howes, Warman, Sask., and Mrs. Geo. Hogg, Snelgrove, Peel county.

The service was conducted by Rev. Wm. Walsh, of Christ Church, Brampton, of which Mr. Wilson, was a member for some years, during which he lived in the town. The Rev. McEachren, of the Presbyterian Church, Brampton, assisted Mr. Walsh.

Three sisters and two brothers survive Mr. Wilson.

The floral tributes were a wreath from his family and another wreath from the grandchildren. The pallbearers were his six grandchildren.

Among those from a distance who attended were, Mrs. MacKerral, Model City, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilson, Mr. McPhail and Mr. Osmond, of Milton.

The health officer of Ottawa reports that the typhoid epidemic in that city has run its course, and that the city water is again fit for drinking.

LOCAL ITEMS.

LABOR DAY.—Next Monday will be a public holiday and undoubtedly there will be a big rush to the Toronto fair.

The Globe reports that Frank Barber, engineer for the county of York, and an ex-Miltonian, was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis on Tuesday in his office in the county buildings and was brought to St. Michael's Hospital. It was not certain whether or not an operation would be necessary.

AGED HESPELER MAN KILLED.—As R. W. Humphries, the well-known tea merchant, of Guelph, was driving his heavy delivery auto up the steep Louis St. hill, Hespeler, Saturday afternoon, the engine stalled. He applied the brakes, but they refused to work and the car started to back down the hill. He had passed Fred Jonas, a Hespeler man, aged 77 years, on his way up, and cut an inside corner at the bottom of the hill to avoid him, but the old man had also taken the corner, and was knocked down and instantly killed. Mr. Humphries notified Drs. Lockhart and Campbell and went to Mayor Forbes's residence to give himself up. Coroner Dr. Lockhart examined the body and telephoned to Crown Attorney Bowly, of Berlin. After an examination of eye witnesses, the Coroner decided that an inquest was unnecessary, and exonerated Mr. Humphries, stating that the affair was purely accidental. The deceased man leaves his wife, two sons—Henry, in Hespeler and Louis, in Galt—and one daughter, Mrs. Martha Prong, of Hespeler.

JUDGMENT GIVEN.—The County Clerk has received from Ottawa the judgment of the Assistant Chief Commissioner, concurred in by Mr. Commissioner Goodeve, in the matter of the application of the township of Nelson re G. T. R. subway, heard by the Railway Commission at Hamilton on 28th May. The judgment says the C. N. R. has applied for leave to cross the Plains Road at some distance northeast of the G. T. R. and C. P. R. crossing, making a third level crossing, and that as the C. N. R. has not yet been built, it is feasable that its line be diverted southerly to parallel the G. T. R's. main line and run to its crossing, and that the circumstances warrant the Board in ordering the construction of a subway carrying the highway under the railway at the point where it now crosses on the level. The C. N. R. will not be permitted to cross the highway on the level and will share in the cost of construction of the subway. The G. T. R. is required to prepare plans within 30 days, showing the subway, and transmit them to the Board. The village of Burlington, which has not been heard, will be asked to show cause why it should not contribute something towards the cost. Therefore the question of cost is reserved for the present.

The Rifle.

Score of weekly shoot of the Milton Heights Miniature Rifle Club on Aug. 24th:

	25 yds.	50 yds.	Total
H. McClellan, Sr.	32	25	57
Jas. Dockray	31	21	52
G. Hewston	28	23	51
E. Walker	27	21	48
J. Hollingsworth	28	11	39
Robt. Hamilton	18	17	35
Thos. Bownus	26	9	35

H. McClellan, Sec'y.

Bramwell Booth was chosen by the late General to succeed him as head of the Salvation Army. The official document was opened and read by the Army solicitor at headquarters in London.

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The Governments of the respective Provinces state that fifty thousand men will be required for this year's harvest. These will have to be principally recruited from Ontario, and the prosperity of Canada depends on securing labor promptly. The Canadian Pacific, on which Company will fall practically the entire task of transporting the men to the West, is already making special arrangements for this year. Excursions from points in Ontario to Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, will be run and special trains operated, making the trip in about thirty-six hours and avoiding any change of cars or transfers. This will be a day shorter than any other route.

"Going Trip West," $10.00 to Winnipeg, plus half cent per mile from Winnipeg up to MacLeod, Calgary, or Edmonton.

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For full particulars see nearest C. P. R. Agent, or write M. G. Murphy, District Passenger Agent, Toronto. 3t

Military Drill and Agriculture.

Weekly Sun.

What are the deductions to be drawn from the fact that ninety-seven school teachers are taking the free summer course at the London barracks, while only two males are taking the free summer course in agriculture at the Agricultural College?

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN that a by-law was passed by the county council of the County of Halton on the 20th day of August, A.D. 1912, providing for the issue of Debentures of the County of Halton to the amount of $180,000.00, for the purpose of providing funds for the cost of improvement of highways carried on by the county pursuant to the "Act for the Improvement of Public Highways," and that such by-law was registered in the Registry Office of the County of Halton on the twenty-sixth day of August, A.D. 1912.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the twenty-sixth day of August, A.D. 1912.

3t WM. PANTON, Clerk.

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Rainy weather is somewhat delaying the western harvest.

Rev. Dr. George H. Cornish, for forty-three years a Methodist minister in Ontario, and for twenty-six years statistician of the Methodist General Conference in Canada, died at Toronto on Saturday.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has altered the plan of his tour, and will start at Quebec the middle of next month, proceeding through Ontario and thence to the West, afterwards visiting Northern Ontario.

Miss Ethel Roosevelt, daughter of the Progressive party candidate for the United States Presidency, is in Ottawa with former Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Willard, of Virginia. They are the guests of Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, by whom a dinner was given in their honor on Friday.

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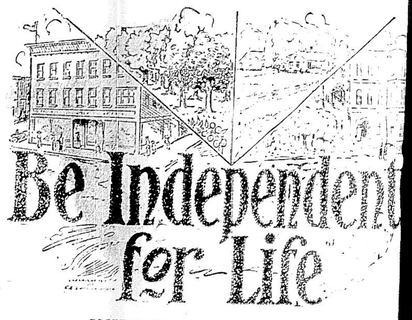

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