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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

Intended for last week.

The Quebec Conference.
The proceedings of the Joint Com-
mission in Quebec continue to be
guarded and practically nothing of an
absolutely authentic character has as
yet been made public. Still with so
many newspaper correspondents on
the spot, and so many deputations and
representative men in attendance, a
certain amount of fairly reliable infor-
mation must leak out, and the net re-
sult of this week's rumors may be con-
sidered entirely satisfactory. The cor-
respondent of one New York paper has
gone so far as to announce the course
decided upon in every one of the dozen
or more important questions on the a-
genda, concluding with the gratifying
but somewhat startling announcement
that a general treaty has been drafted
and in fact everything is practically
over but the shouting. This, of course
is an impossibility; if the Commission-
ers arrive within measurable distance
of this universally desired goal by
Christmas time they will have done
admirably well. But making allow-
ances for all exaggerations there seems
excellent reason to accept the general
correctness of the assertion that the
negotiations are progressing with rea-
sonable celerity and without serious
hitch, in spite of the persistent endeav-
ors of a section of the public press to
discredit the Conference, endeavors
which under the circumstances can
only be stigmatized as utterly disreput-
able. The hope and belief is daily
growing stronger that a greater mea-
sure of success will crown the efforts of
the plenipotentiaries than was at one
time looked for, by even the most san-
guine.

The Policy of the Open Door.
What are the protectionist organs
trying to get at anyway, in their con-
stant deprecatory reference to the fact
that Canada's trade with the United
States is steadily increasing? That's
just as it should be. The purpose of
the reforms in the Liberal tariff was
not to close any avenue of trade; a
cardinal principle, in every Liberal
trade policy is that the fewer artificial
restrictions the better, that trade should
be left as absolutely untrammelled as
possible, and allowed to find its own
natural outlet. That is the principle
upon which Great Britain has risen to
such universally recognized supremacy
in the commercial world and had held
her own against all kinds of artificial
barriers up to the present day, enjoy-
ing now an era of unexampled pros-
perity. Such is the policy to which
the Liberal party is striving and it one
of the earliest outcomes of the market
it has only done that which was expect-
ed. If by further removing the barriers
the condition of Canada's trade can
be yet more improved, the Government
will doubtless be prepared to go on
with the work, and the country will
sustain them. If however our neigh-
bors to the South should show by their
demeanor that they still labor under the
delusion that we cannot do without
their trade no matter what the price,
all that remains for us is to go our own
way as in the past, until the work of
education is a little further advanced,
and the Republic as a whole thorough-
ly understands that which it is realiz-
ing more every day, that Canada is
its commercial equal, and as one of its
best customers is to be sought after and
propitiated, and that there is no section
of the community prepared to surren-
der its birthright for a mess of pottage
or anything else.

A great outcry has been made in a
section of the press during the last
couple of weeks on account of the dis-
crimination enforced by Germany a-
gainst Canadian wheat, as an outcome
of the denunciation by Great Britain of
the German and Belgian treaties at the
instigation of the Canadian Govern-
ment. The discrimination is alleged
to have seriously affected the wheat
trade between Canada and Germany
and the disadvantage thus occasioned
to Canadian exporters is of course in-
stantly placed to the credit of the Gov-
ernment.

The fact appears to be entirely over-
looked that the action of the Imperial
authorities in this matter was received
with loud acclamations and every indica-
tion of approval at the time it occurred.
The Imperial Federal League, now
The British Empire League, an insti-
tution which stands for all that is ultra-
loyal and imperialistic, approved the
denunciation with almost extravagant
enthusiasm, and Sir Charles Tupper,
himself a past President of the Canad-

ian branch of the organization, Mr. Mc-
Neill and other prominent imperialists
in the Opposition ranks joined hands
with the supporters of the Government
in approving of the denunciation. It
is not complimentary to the intelligence
of these gentlemen to suppose for one
moment that they did not foresee the
very natural attempt at reprisal with
which Germany would meet the action
of the Home government.

NORTH EAST NORMANBY.

Miss Alice Grant of Albany, New
York is at present visiting at Mr. H.
Leeson's.
Mr. James Watson and Master Archie
visited Detroit friends lately. While
there Archie took the measles and was
unable to accompany his father home.
Misses L. and M. Mearns of Hampton
visited friends in this vicinity one day
lately.
Miss Lulu Dickson of Gleneden visited
Miss Lizzie Gadd last week.
Among those in this vicinity who at-
tended Holstein show were: T. Mc-
Niece, G. Petty, A. Smith and J. Watt.
All report a good time, especially some
of them.
Miss Susie Gadd is at present employ-
ed in Durham.
Miss M. Morrice of Bentinck visited
at T. Gadd's lately.
Mr. T. Leeson and Miss Grant visited
at Mr. Banks, Glenelg last week.
Miss McFadden of Durham visited
Mrs. A. Marshall lately.
Somebody likes Story's very well
these days, especially those from the
West.

CRAWFORD.

Intended for this week.

Threshing is about over and farmers
thankful for a bountiful harvest.
Mr. G. Sherman came home last week
after a sojourn in the West.
Mr. John McKinnon, Brant, spent
Sunday at his home in Crawford.
A young barefooted lad arrived at Mr.
Harry Redford's house one morning last
week and hospitable Harry is allowing
him to remain.
Mrs. McKinnon and son of Bruce visit-
ed at Mrs. Livingstone's last week.
Last week Mr. Thos. Flannigan was
united in marriage to Miss Cronan of
Sullivan. A very large number of
friends were present to witness the cere-
mony. The respect in which the young
couple is held was shown by the large
number of valuable presents they received.
We extend congratulations.
Mr. Hugh McKechnie, Rocky Saugeen,
is at present hewing timber at Mr.
Dugald McDonald's. As Hugh is a first
class mechanic we have no doubt but he
will do good quick work.
Miss Maggie Boyd who has been in
Hanover for some time past spent a few
days at her home last week.
Miss Nancy Smith spent a pleasant
week visiting her Dornoch friends.
The Donovan family of Desboro and
Miss Forsyth of Peabody were guests of
Mrs. Wm. Orr last week.

Last Wednesday the young folks of
Crawford and vicinity spent a very
pleasant evening at Mrs. Wm. Orr's.

HOPEVILLE.

Intended for last week.

Mr. M. Kells did not go to Peel Tp. last
week as reported by me. He made the
necessary arrangements but, as he was a-
bout to start he was suddenly taken ill.
He has since recovered and is able to work.
Mr. McIntosh is laid up at present.
Mr. Glenister is on the sick list but is
slowly recovering. Mrs. G. McArthur is
also sick.
The McLeach body had sacrament on
Sunday 25th. They have organized a
church, the name of which I cannot re-
member.

A large number from here attended the
Division Court at Flesherton on the 29th.
Some of the cases had to be postponed un-
til next Court.
Our Council lost one case and won the
one from the poor man in the South of
Proton who had not money to pay witness-
esses.

The Pre-byterians are expected to have
the new church ready to open in two or
three weeks.
As I write, the family of Mr. Albert
Haw is sick again. It is only a while since
Mrs. Haw died. Tem.

MOUNT PLEASANT.

Mr. Editor I thought I would try and
write out a budget this week but news is
very scarce.
Mr. Wm. Smith's home was brightened
the other day by a young daughter and I
guess it will be welcome as it is the first.
Mr. McClocklin and his assistant Thos
C. Morton were at Chatsworth on Satur-
day for a load of ice as it is very scarce at
present.
Messrs. Limin and McClocklin have en-
gaged Mr. Dean of Durhain to clean out
the wells on the farm, as water is very
scarce just now.
Mrs. John Marshall of Normanby was
visiting Mrs. Thos. C. Morton one day
lately.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Deau of Glenelg spent
Sunday with their old neighbors Mr. and
Mrs. Thos. C. Morton of Durham.
Mrs. Hill of Bentinck is having a hard
time at present as nearly all her family
are laid up with measles.

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Barley	0 80 to 0 85
Pens	0 47 to 0 48
Oats	0 21 to 0 22
Dr'd Hogs, per cwt	5 75 to 6 25
Hogs, live weight	4 50 to 5 00
Lard per lb	.....	10 to 10
Tallow per lb	.....	08 to 04
Butter per lb. Tnb	.....	0 12 to 0 13
" Roll	.....	11 to 11
Eggs, per doz	.....	12 to 13
Chickens, per pair	.....	40 to 50
Ducks	.....	10 to 15
Turkeys, per lb	.....	0 05 to 0 08
Geese, per lb	.....	6 50 to 6 50
Hills, per cwt	.....	25 to 30
Calves	.....	50 to 50
Sheepskins	.....	5 00 to 6 00
Hay, per ton	.....	0 00 to 0 00
Straw	.....	50 to 60
Potatoes, per bag	.....	50 to 1 00
Apples, per bag	.....	1 50 to 2 00
Wood, 4 feet	.....	1 00 to 1 00
Wood, 22 inches	.....	15 to 15
Wood	.....	15 to 15

Live Stock Markets.

ENGLAND.
(Special)—Prices here and in London
are easy. American steers are quoted
at 10½ to 11½c per lb. (estimated dressed
weight); refrigerator beef is lower at
9½c per lb.

NEW YORK.
(Special)—Exports to-day were none,
to-morrow we shall ship 810 beef-cows
and 4,400 quarters of beef.

TORONTO.
Altogether there were about 70 loads
of stuff on the market. Trade was slow
all round. Both shipping and butcher
cattle was weak, and did not all sell.
Export sold at from \$4 to \$4.25, and for
choice \$4.40, and this latter price was
about the best paid to-day. Butcher
cattle was decidedly weaker and much
of the cattle was of very inferior qual-
ity. Loads of good butcher cattle sold
to-day at between \$3.25 and \$3.50 per
cwt. A few selections of course went
higher, but for anything but the best
cattle values were weak and hard to
arrive at, as neither buyers nor sellers
cared to talk much about prices.

There was a brisk trade done in stock-
ers, and they ranged all the way from
\$3 up to \$4 per cwt.
Feeders were quoted at from \$3.25 to
\$3.60 and occasionally \$3.75 per cwt,
was realized.
Good milkers are wanted, at from \$25
up to \$45 each.
Small stuff was plentiful and easy.
Ewes were worth from \$3.25 to \$3.50 and
sometimes \$3.60 per cwt. Lambs sell
at from \$2.50 to \$3.75 each. Bucks are
worth \$2.00 to \$2.75 per cwt.
Hogs were unchanged to-day, and
\$4.50 was paid for the best here, but
next week a decline of 1-8c will occur.
About three thousand came in; stores
are not wanted.

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