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DAILY BRITISH WHIG, published each evening, at 506-510 King Street, Kingston, Ontario, at 5c per copy. Extra copies at 2c and 4c each.

**THE DAILY WHIG.**  
"Opter per Orbem Dico."

**The Patrons Did It.**  
Allan Embury, Brampton, public school inspector for Peel, attributes the low salaries of rural school teachers to the patron movement. He says in his annual report:

"The so-called patron movement had a disastrous effect upon the schools of the province. A class of men came into prominence who claimed that everybody except themselves was overpaid, that all work not of muscle was unproductive, that all professions were corporations of parasites subsisting on the hard-earned toil of the husbandman and all salaried people should suffer a diminution of their incomes. The teachers of the province were the first to suffer and have not fully recovered. A generation will not repair the mischief wrought and the evil done by the cause of real education. Yet these same gentry have in many instances displayed a voracity for office and salary."

It is now up to J. Lockie Wilson and other patrons to dispute this accusation.

**The Inspired Mr. Weeks.**  
Very beautiful, not to say mellow, were the words of Mr. Weeks, vice-president of the New York Life, in an address before a meeting of insurance men two years ago at Colorado Springs. Read them to-day when the investigation lightning is playing about the heads and reputations of the big companies:

"The watchword of the Twentieth Century then, for men of action, is to be, not competition, but noble emulation. The problem has been solved, and it is we of the New York Life who have solved it. When I think of the long, slow, painful climb of mankind upwards towards the light, and when I think of the divine power which has been beckoning the race on, I have a feeling of awe as the conviction comes over me that it is through some solution of this same divine power that we have unconsciously solved the great problem of the coming century."

This "unconscious solution" seems to have been exceedingly expensive. Mr. Weeks, one is sure, spoke with impressive solemnity, although the insurance men who were his auditors may have winked and smiled. The words of the inspired Mr. Weeks were not intended for them so much as for the dear public whose money the heavy-born financiers were devoting to campaign funds and lobbying expenses.

"Nothing more sublime," says one writer in commenting upon the Weeks address, "has been uttered since Mr. Baer complimented the Lord on His good judgment in His selection of men to invest with the exploitation of the coal fields of Pennsylvania. Assuming that Mr. Weeks had the right of it, then the investigating committee in New York must be meddling with sacred things."

**Enterprise In Farming.**  
Agriculture is the leading industry of the world. It is the foundation of all other industries and the principal source of national prosperity and wealth. It is a great business enterprise, conducted by individuals and each husbandman's success depends on individual enterprise and effort, thoughtfully says the farming editor of the Toronto World.

Farming differs from manufacturing in that great syndicates have organized and vast capital concentrated to exploit many of the other national industries. Farmers act on their own initiative and raise such crops or breed that particular class of stock which suits their fancy and environment. There is no limit to the field of human endeavor in exploiting all the different phases of agriculture. In the same locality one farmer markets a handsome income over operating expenses and another husbandman only makes a living.

Enterprise is essential to agriculture. The successful farmer is a careful reader of the farm journals and is always alert to obtain the very latest information on the management of the farm. There is no profession that equals farming for steady improvement in knowledge of agricultural subjects.

A trip through the rural districts and an inspection of the stock, buildings and crops on the farms illustrates the difference between the enterprising farmer and the husbandman who works land from necessity and not for pleasure of the profession. The arrangement, location, and condition of the buildings determine the enterprise and thrift of the owner of the farm.

One farmer will raise potatoes that will yield 100 bushels per acre, while his neighbor has a new variety that yields 150 bushels per acre. One stockman raises cattle that sell at \$10 per head, another keeps a herd that averages \$60 per head at the same age. It is not because one farmer's land is better than his neighbor's that he has double the income, but because he is vigilant to discover the best plants and stock to raise. The enterprising farmer is prudent, always trying to improve his income, while his neighbor is satisfied to drift along in the antiquated rut of half a century ago. The more enterprise displayed in the management of the farm the more contented and prosperous will be the owner. Enterprise means success in agriculture as well as in commercial industries.

**Mr. Hays At Brantford.**  
At the Main Line opening banquet at Brantford last Saturday, General Manager Hays made a speech that was every way worthy of him as a broad-minded, big-calibered railway man. He told his hearers that the Grand Trunk was a business enterprise, that it was a seeker of traffic and that it expected a return for the money it expended; but at the same time he realized the value of competition. His admissions on this score would have opened the eyes of some of his predecessors in the management of the railway, but they were none the less true, and apposite on that score. The whole trend of his speech was a striking proof of the change which has come over the management of the road of later years, and his admission that it was always well for a community to have two strings to its bow will be heeded in more communities than Brantford.

"I think," he continued, "that Canada is on the eve of her greatest transportation development. In the next ten years there will be more miles of railway built in Canada than in the last twenty-five." Referring to the Grand Trunk Pacific, he did not think the one additional railway was going to begin to take care of the additional business of the great west. He believed, with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, that the G.T.P. was going to be followed by a third and a fourth transcontinental railway, and they would all do well. In Ontario they did not dread competition. They believed opposition was a good thing. So long as the trade did not demand the getting of something for nothing, then opposition was in the best interests of the country.

**Editorial Notes.**

There would be fewer hospitals and less disease and death if the food and drink of the community were kept pure.

What is this we hear about insurance frauds. Why we thought the insurance companies were giving away money to help the widow and orphan. The exposures will give people added confidence in fraternal societies. They have no big pots of gold to gamble over.

Mr. Whitney promises to make the school law so that boards or inspectors cannot introduce anything outside what the law calls for. Then watch the boards decline if they are given no latitude. One mould for all schools will not help education. Environment must be considered.

The Hamilton Spectator quotes Whitney as saying, the kindergarten is to be shortened. The paper advises that the per cent. cut off be one hundred. Are kindergartens profitable? Not as Kingston conducts them, for it takes a child three years to get into the second book. Valuable years wasted! The kindergarten should be remoulded, and made an accessory to the junior work.

**The Lombardy Fair.**  
Lombardy, Oct. 5.—Mrs. M. Dober, Mrs. P. Dober, and Mrs. J. E. Ward spent Sunday with friends in Smith's Falls, Mr. and Mrs. John Cauley of Toledo, visited there on Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Caudley, Lombardy fair was held here on September 30th, and was one of the best, if not the very best, fair held in this district this year. The weather was that which could be desired, and the crowd the largest that ever assembled here. In the free-for-all Prince Volta of Merrieville took first money. In the green race, E. Covell got first money, and John Polk of Smith's Falls, second. Miss Lilla Duffield got first for lady driver of single horse, and Miss Etta Klyne, first for drivers of double team. The gate receipts amounted to between \$200 and \$300, double that of last year. Miss E. Taitly of Perth is visiting here at present. Mr. and Mrs. J. McGillivray of Smith's Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here. Miss Mary Ryan of Smith's Falls, visited the Misses Sinnott on Sunday.

**Heat Is A Costly Article.**  
Every pound of food that creates heat is costly. If you can save heat you save food. Therefore the warmer and better the shelter the less food required; a bushel of corn, with the temperature of the atmosphere at sixty degrees, is worth two bushels when the temperature is at zero. The normal temperature of the animal is ninety-eight degrees, and this must be maintained. All over that degree of heat becomes fat, being stored up for future use. Food is fuel, and the warmer the quarters the less fuel required.

**Practice Makes Perfect.**  
What a tangle web we weave when first we practice to deceive. But when we've led a year or two, how slick we are! I am. Aren't you?

Infants' foods that are fresh and reliable. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

## THE USE OF LIME.

It Has Its Advantages in Some Soils.

No general rule can be laid down for the use of lime; for in one soil it may act in one way, while in another, even on the same farm, it may act in a very different manner. The reaction of lime on the various constituents of the ground are very many and very different and one reason why chemistry has not been more effectually brought to bear in farming is that people lose sight of the fact that even slight changes in circumstances may wholly change the results of any given mode of treating the soil. As an instance of the effect of lime on some lands, a friend of mine in Salem county, N.J., put 1,000 bushels on a hog meadow. It produced magnificently for many years. The same amount on a common upland would have ruined it. Lime cannot properly be called manure, inasmuch as plants contain comparatively little of this mineral. The beneficial effects of lime result from its chemical and mechanical action upon the soil. In soils rich in organic matter are found various acids which generally exist in combination therewith; by adding lime, a stronger alkali, the ammonia is expelled and is thus made available to plants. In other cases, as for instance in land recently drained, the acids may exert a positively injurious action upon plants and in these cases lime, by simply neutralizing the acids, benefits the soil.

**AGAIN ON TRIAL.**

**Rev. Frank W. Sanford Responsible For Boy's Death.**  
Auburn, Maine, Oct. 6.—The third trial of Rev. Frank Sanford, leader of the Holy Ghost and Us religious colony at Shiloh, on the charge of manslaughter, was opened in the supreme court of Androscoggin county. Public interest in Maine in this unusual case apparently has not waned since the time when Mr. Sanford was arrested in connection with the death of a boy, Leander Barton, at the Shiloh colony.

Mr. Sanford is charged with causing the death of the boy by refusing to permit the administering of medicine or other remedial treatment while the boy was suffering from diphtheria. On the trial of Rev. Sanford the jury disagreed. On the second trial the jury returned a verdict of guilty, but later the law court ordered a new trial on the ground that public opinion had worked unfavorably to the defendant.

**TO WEED OUT OFFICERS.**

**Inefficient in Russian Navy Will Have to Go.**  
St. Petersburg, Oct. 6.—Inefficient officers are to be gradually weeded out of the Russian navy during the next five years and encouraged off to make way for better trained men to command the reconstructed navy. In a rescript addressed to the minister of marine, Emperor Nicholas directs him to retire compulsorily all naval officers who are unable to fulfil the higher requirements which the projected reforms in the service will demand. Officers so retired before reaching the age of 50 are to be pensioned on favorable conditions to be determined upon later.

**The Christian's Gratitude.**  
In 1898 Calvin Price and other capitalists secured from China the right to build a railroad, says Tom Watson in his magazine for October. In course of time this concession fell into the clutches of J. Pierpont Morgan and associates. Not a mile of the road has ever been made. Not a dollar of benefit has ever accrued to China. For certain reasons it became inadvisable for the American syndicate to build the railroad, and the Chinese government wished to cancel the concession.

The big-hearted Morgan generously agreed to give up the right to build the road, provided China paid him six million dollars and he gave up the thousand dollars he had been paid to do it. Not a penny had been paid to China for the concession, not a penny of benefit had she got from it, but because she had unwisely granted to speculators a right to make the road she had to pay a king's ransom to get free.

Christian finance must have a long moral influence upon missionary work in China!

**A Call To The Woods.**  
Tom Watson's Magazine.  
Mr. Busy Man leave your task some day, let the shop take care of itself, let the mill go as it may, let the plow stand in the furrow, and take yourself into the depths of the solemn, shadowy woods. Call back you the old friends, the old thoughts, the old ambitions, the mistakes you made, the faults you had, the wrongs you did or suffered, the opportunities wasted, the vain things you sought, the work that you might have done better, the kind words you might have spoken and did not, the good deeds you might have done and did not, the frowns that should have been smiles, the curses that might have been blessings, the tears that ought never to have been shed, the wounds that need never have been made. Commune with yourself—your past, your present, your future—your crimes, your weaknesses, your doubts, your fears, your hopes, your desires, and thus let conscience and the angels of your better self beat your soul into the pattern: "God be merciful to me, a sinner!"

**Davies' Reef Sale.**  
Choice oven roofs, 6c. to 10c; pot roasts, 6c. to 8c; boiling cuts, 5c. to 6c. per lb. Customers can aid us in giving good service by placing orders on Friday or early Saturday morning.

Jap. Marguerite, Mito, Bachelor, Arabella cigars, 4 for 25c. on Saturday at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Miss Jessie Hicks, of the C.P.R. telegraph office, Belleville, had been promoted to the Deseronto office.

Francis Ernest King, Barrie, and Miss Ellen Agnes Dunne, Belleville, were married on Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Monahan, Newboro, died in Brockville hospital, after an operation, aged twenty-six.

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It's seldom, if ever that a man comes here for Gloves and does not find exactly what he wants. We've splendid Driving Gloves, Dressy Street Gloves and Correct Dress Gloves. The task of describing our Glove Stock is too great for this small space. Gloves 50c. to \$3.50.

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Try our special 25c. Cashmere Hose, Browns, Black or Scarlet.

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Don't miss seeing our display of Fancy Sweater. Everything new. Sweaters 50c. to \$3.

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Fine American Shoes, ranging in price from \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 to \$4.

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**Smart New Coats**  
We are showing a large assortment of pretty and stylish Fall and Winter Coats for Women and Children, in Beaver, Cheviot, Scotch Mixed Tweed and Whipcord materials, with tight, semi or loose back, at prices from

**\$4.50 to \$15.**

**Skirts**  
We are also headquarters for Girls' or Women's Ready-to-Wear Skirts. Prices from \$1.49, \$2.50, \$3 to \$7.5c.

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"Soon after I read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After trying five bottles as directed the tumor entirely gone. I then went to a physician and he says I have no signs of tumor now. It has also brought my month around once more, and I am entirely well."—Fannie D. Fox, 7 Chestnut Street, Bradford, Pa.

REFUSED TO SPEAK.

The Judge Sustained Premier in His Contention.

Colony, Oct. 5.—The refusal of Premier Whitney to disclose what he considered state secrets in connection with the appointment of the housekeeper of the legislative buildings in Toronto, yesterday led to the dismissal of the suit for \$10,000 brought by G. T. Bickle, Brighton, against the prominent conservatives. Judge Feezel sustained the premier in his refusal.

The story of the plaintiff is that he had been an election worker for Hon. Mr. Willoughby, the minister without portfolio, who had promised him the position of housekeeper, which worth \$2,000 a year, but that, at the last moment, when the plum of office was about to drop into his hands, some unfriendly West Northumberland conservatives protested against his appointment, and by means of a representative as to his trustworthiness robbed him of the prize, which went to another. It appeared by the statements made by the defence that they considered that it was Mr. Bickle who gave the information about the hawking for a public office in 1891, which was the subject of an enquiry by royal commission, and which placed in jeopardy the seat of the then conservative member for West Northumberland, Mr. Guilford, and caused the removal from office of Mr. Guilford's brother. It was also stated that Mr. Bickle parted with confidential information in 1898, to the detriment of the conservative party—all of which was denied.

**Strathcona News.**  
Strathcona, Oct. 5.—Curtis J. Kings, of Nanaimo, spent a few days last week for medical treatment. Mr. Hillman, employed in the post office, is moving his family here from Past Angus, Que. Mr. and Mrs. Byron attended Picton fair. Several friends the Sunday school convention at Switzerville, Tuesday last.

Wager is painting his house which will add greatly to its appearance. Mrs. J. Taylor is the guest of Mr. Jackson. The taxes in the township of Camden are unusually high this year. There is much ill-feeling over the All here are delighted with the generous gift of Lord Strathcona to the public library. Mrs. Garrett spent few days with her friend, Mrs. D. Lopp. Mrs. Garrett resides in Nanaimo. She leaves soon for Winnipeg.

**Marysville Affairs.**  
Marysville, Oct. 5.—A large number from here attended the Shannon fair on Saturday. John Campbell's daughter, Maggie, took advantage of the last trip to Rochester, on Sunday night. Miss Annie McAlpine returned on Thursday, after visiting friends in Toronto. On Thursday evening, Joshua Brent left the Indian reserve, while passing over the rail crossing on his return home, struck by a train and killed. His body was found the next morning by section men. Mr. and Mrs. Samsonia, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Mike McAlpine, Sandy Camp and son Gibbs, accompanied by I. J. and Campbell, of New Bedford, on the excursion to Rochester on Monday last. Mr. and Mrs. Sessmith's daughter, Grace, spent Tuesday with their daughter, Mrs. John Russell.

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