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Cataraqui, No. 92, on Wednesday, Sept. 12th, at 7:30 p.m.

Sons of England.

LEICESTER LODGE, No. 83, of the Sons of England Benevolent Society, will meet in their new Lodge Room, corner Montreal and Princess Sts., over Strachan's Hardware Store, the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

THE KINGSTON MARKETS.

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Hams 14c. @ 16c. per lb.; bacon, breakfast, 15c. per lb.; long clear, 12½c. per lb.; barrelled pork, $18.

Ducks 60c. per pair, and turkeys 75c. to $1.50 each.

White fish and salmon 10c. per lb.; pike, 5c. per lb.; pickerel and bass 6c. per lb.

Hides 3c., 4c. and 5c. per lb.; pelts, 40c. @ 50c., calfskins, 35c. @ 45c. each; deacons 25c. to 30c. each; wool, 16c. @ 18c. per lb.; tallow, rendered, 15c. per lb.

Butter is in good demand at 22c. to 25c. per lb. Eggs are quoted at 15c. to 17c. per dozen.

Potatoes, 75c. @ 90c. per bag; cabbage, 50c. and 65c. per dozen; cauliflowers, 10c. @ 15c. per head; onions, carrots, parsnips, beets and celery, 40c. @ 50c. per dozen bunches; tomatoes $1 @ $2 per bushel; cucumbers, 20c. and 25c. per dozen; corn 5c. @ 12½c. per dozen

Apples 50c. @ $1 per bushel; pears $1 per basket; peaches $1.00 @ 1 75 per basket; plums, 50c. @ $1.00 per basket; grapes, 10c. to 20c. per lb.; melons, 15c. @ 40c. each; bananas, 30c. @ 40c. per dozen; lemons, 25c. @ 30c. per dozen; mushrooms, 10c. @ 15c. per quart; huckleberries, 10c. per quart

Flour, $4 40 @ $4 50 per bbl.; farmers' flour, $2 10 @ $2 20 per cwt.; oatmeal, $6 50 per bbl.; cornmeal, $1 40 per cwt.; bran, $18; shorts, $22; and chopped feed, $30 per ton. Timothy seed, $4 per bushel.

Barley 60c.; oats, 45c.; peas and rye, 70c.; wheat, $1 per bushel.

Cheese has been steady at Liverpool for past week, at 46 shillings.

THE APPLE MARKET.

There will be scarcely half a crop of apples in England and Scotland, and this indicates a good demand for Canadian fruit, which is growing in favour in the English market. Shipments of Southern Baldwins has already been made. Sales of western harvest apples have been made at Montreal at $1.40, $1.50 and $1.60 per bbl.; the finer varieties; such as Strawberry and Duchess, have sold at $2 25 to $2.50. The Canadian crop will be large, of excellent quality, and unusually clean. As there is a large United States crop, low prices may be looked for when winter varieties come on the market. Contracts have already been made at points west of Toronto at 75c. per bbl. on the tree, which means about $1.70 to $1.75 per bbl. laid down in Montreal.

THE CHEESE MARKETS.

PETERBORO, Sept. 6. — At yesterday's board 2,500 boxes were offered; 8⅛c to 8¼c was bid, but the factorymen are holding for higher prices.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

MONTREAL, Sept. 5.—13 noon.

STOCKS.	ASK'D	OFF'D
Bank of Montreal	224½	223½
Ontario Bank	125	124
Bank du Peuple	106	104
Molsons Bank	157½	152½
Bank of Toronto	211	208
Banque Jacques Cartier		82½
Merchants Bank	138½	136
Quebec Bank		92
Union Bank	119	118½
Bank of Commerce	95	94½
Montreal Telegraph Co	61 6	62 3
N. W. Land Co	53	21
Rich. & Ontario Navigation Co	209½	205
City Passenger RR	215½	215
Montreal Gas Co	57	56½
Canada Pacific RR	211	210½
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LIVERPOOL CHEESE MARKET.

LIVERPOOL SEPT. 6.—5 p.m.

Cheese, 46s.

The Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel—J. Cute, Ottawa; M. C. Pullman, Pullman, Ill.; J. Greenfield, A. Baggs, R. C. Merritt, R. J. Orr, Toronto; E. Rosenbery, New York; H. H. Shaw, Detroit; T. J. Stevenson, Merritton; E. M. Clark, Jacksonville, Florida; J. N. Plotts, Philadelphia; W. H. Leavitt, Montreal; T. H. Whitehead, Brantford; J. Thompson, J. Lee, Perth; G. W. Briggs, Oswego, N.Y.; C. H. Kingsbury, Rochester, N.Y.; H. Shaw, J. Rutherford, T. Skelton, Montreal; J. G. Skinner, Chicago; W. Clendenneng, jr., Montreal.

Presentation at Elgin.

An enjoyable evening was spent last Friday at Elgin over the presentation of an address and gold watch to Hugh McBratney, of Kingston, foreman for George W. Wilson in the Elgin quarry, by his fellow workmen. The event took place at the residence of James J. Earl, ex-warden of the county. The employees afterwards sat down to a fine repast prepared by Mrs. Earl. Toasts, speeches, songs, and instrumental music were the order of the evening.

A Fine Selection of Goods.

Z. Prevost has received all his imported goods for order work, consisting of Scotch and English tweeds, beavers, and French knapps for overcoating; also something new in stripes for panting. We have a special line in Cheviot, all wool and fast colours, for suiting. These goods are very stylish in New York. A suit made to order for $15 and a first-class fit guaranteed.

The Doctors' Tour.

The matches of the medical cricket association are as follows: Pickering, Sept. 6th; Colborne, 7th; Napanee, 8th; Kingston, 10th; Ottawa, 11th. The team consists of Dr. Bray, Chatham; Dr. Burt, Paris; Dr. Burns, Caledonia; Dr. Leonard, Napanee; Dr. Stevenson, Aurora; Dr. Bascom, Uxbridge; Drs. Pyne, Cameron, Nevitt, Machill, and Messrs. E. A. Anderson and D. W. Cameron, Toronto.

The popular Grand Trunk western excursion, Sept. 7th and 8th, to Detroit, Port Huron, Chicago, and all points west.

TOPICS FROM THE CAPITAL.

The London Capitalists' Petition re the Quebec Debt Conversion Act.

OTTAWA, Sept. 5.—The rumor was fully circulated here to-day, based on a telegram from Montreal, that the Circuit Court Act passed at the last session of the Quebec Legislature, and under which Mr. Mercier recently appointed two judges, had been disallowed, but no confirmation of the rumor could be obtained to-night. Your correspondent, however, has reason to believe that there is ground for the rumor.

It is stated that the attention of the Militia Department having been called to the letter which appeared in The Toronto World, signed "George H. Douglas, Lieut. 24th Kent Infantry," dwelling upon the possibility of war with the States and suggesting that "our prime move would be the capture of Detroit," an official communication has been sent to Lieut. Douglas requesting an explanation of his attaching to his signature his rank in the Canadian militia. The Department would not interfere with Douglas writing as a private individual, it is the ventilation of his warlike feelings in connection with his rank as a volunteer that is called in question.

The memorial of London capitalists, forwarded through the Imperial Government, asking the Canadian authorities to veto the debt conversion bill passed by the Quebec Legislature, and which practically means repudiation, has been received here and is under consideration.

Major Nicol, [illegible] ment of Marine, will leave in the course of a few days for Lower Traverse, St. Lawrence River, for the purpose of locating two stationary piers there to take the place of the present light ships. The work will be very expensive and probably cost in the neighborhood of $100,000.

The Department of Justice forwarded today to the prison authorities at Montreal a release for the daughter of an Ottawa citizen who went astray. She has promised to lead a new life and her father has consented to care for her.

Col. Irwin, Inspector of Artillery, who has just returned from an official tour of inspection in the Maritime Provinces, reports a marked improvement in the force.

On Monday next the Exchequer Committee will take up the claim of the Government against the city for $2,000 arrears due on certain coal wharves.

Hon. C. H. Tupper and Hon. G. E. Foster left to-day for Beaverton to participate in the political demonstration there to-morrow. Sir John Macdonald, who intended also to be present, was detained at the last moment by pressing public business.

THE LABOR CONGRESS.

Busy Trades and Labor Delegates at London Yesterday.

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 5. The Dominion Labor Congress resumed promptly at 8 o'clock this morning and continued in session throughout the entire day with but slight intermission for refreshment until 11 o'clock in the evening, wading through an immense volume of resolutions and other business.

On motion the draft of the constitution as amended was referred back to the special committee.

The special committee on the President's address reported concurrence in all the suggestions, disapproving, however, of the $500 exemption in dwelling houses. The report was referred back with instructions to endorse the clause unfavorably reported upon.

On motion the Congress expressed the opinion that the Ontario Factory Act should be amended to bring all the manufacturing establishments within its operation, irrespective of the number of employes and these resolutions were also adopted:

That in the opinion of Congress the interest of female wage-earners required the appointment of female inspectors and that the wishes of the various labor organizations should be consulted in making the appointment.

That Congress is of opinion that the Government of Ontario should establish a printing office in which the Local Government printing and publication of school books should be done.

That any terms or stipulations, other than the rendering of an equivalent for wages, insisted upon by employers in the engagement of employes should be declared by law null and void and any attempt at exaction be declared a criminal offence punishable by imprisonment on conviction.

That the Dominion and Provincial Governments be petitioned to introduce the desired measures.

That police magistrates and justices of the peace be invested with power to examine and punish judgment debtors in cases involving payment of wages.

That local inspectors be appointed for cities and towns for the better enforcement of the Factory Act.

A resolution was also passed condemning the present immigration system and asking its abolition, and one that Government employes be not allowed to work for private individuals or contractors while under salary.

At the evening session a resolution was passed that the Dominion Government issue all money and notes in sufficient volume to meet the needs of the country and that the same be recognized as legal tender for liabilities and that no money be borrowed for the construction of public works but the costs should be met by the issue of money paid direct by the Dominion Government or loaned by it to the Provincial Government or municipalities undertaking the works.

A petition to the Ontario Legislature for such amendments to the Ontario Trade Arbitration Act as will enable organizations of employes or workmen, by filing a memorandum to that effect, to form a board of arbitration for the settlement of all difficulties.

A resolution was also passed that Congress favor shortening of hours by general refusal to work more than 8 hours a day. That in view of the pernicious sweating system in the tailoring trade the Ontario Legislature be petitioned to pass a Workshop Regulation Act with strict provisions re sanitary arrangements, and appointment of inspectors to enforce it.

The Congress expect to finally adjourn tomorrow afternoon.

A Montreal Forger.

MONTREAL, Sept. 6.—Auguste Mely was arraigned yesterday charged with forging the name of Gaibert Brothers, manufacturers, to a cheque for $200. There were two counts in the indictment, another cheque for $200 having also been forged. Mely had given M. Doly, a boardinghouse keeper, the cheque, not in payment for anything, but merely to keep it for him.

Woodstock Cheese Market.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 6.—At the cheese market held here yesterday, 7000 boxes were boarded. The sales were 850 boxes August make at 9 cents.

In Case of Emergency

You can always get cooked corn beef, dried beef, lunch tongues, chicken ham and tongue, sugar cured pic nic hams, choice spiced roll bacon, and all kinds of dried meats. James Crawford

THE FROST IN MANITOBA.

Not Much Certain Can Be Known About the Damage Yet Awhile.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 6.—As to the effect of the frost on the wheat the truth is that not much certain can be known about it until reports from the threshing machines begin to come in. The cylinder and the concave will tell the story sure. Still there are buyers and their agents who are now on the tramp and examining with eager eyes what there is to be seen, and some of these are no fools at the business either.

Ontario people will admit not many better judges of the situation are to be found than Sir Wm. P. Howland who is now here just after an extensive drive over the prairies, and whose opinion is, as stated in the despatches yesterday, that the reports of losses are greatly exaggerated.

People in the east will scarcely believe it, but it is a fact that for information as to weather, both immediately past and to come, people here are wholly dependent upon Uncle Sam's probabilities office at Washington, or say rather, on the enterprise of the Winnipeg papers and the vividness of the American associated press. This is astounding to think of. In a few days deputations will wait upon Mr. Greenway to see if he has any influence with the powers that be in Ottawa in the matter.

To-day the air has appeared softer and not so much like frost that would be dangerous, though somewhat chilly.

A Winnipeg Press Opinion.

[illegible] says that the exact position of the crops is not learned. Damage has been done in some localities by the frost and continued cold weather makes it probable that more injury will be done to grain. At the same time there is reason to believe that the reports made as to the extent of the damage are greatly exaggerated and that a considerable portion of this year's crop can be saved in good condition.

It is almost certain that with the higher prices and the larger area under cultivation the farmers will receive more money than last year.

The Latest News.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 6.—Later—It is the talk here now that half the wheat is damaged to half its value. That would be a loss of one-fourth of the total.

BLACK AND WHITE.

The Right of a Negro to Have a White Wife in Pennsylvania.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 6.—Some months ago James Bentley a young negro, formed the acquaintance of Annie Barker, a handsome white girl, living near Lime Ridge. She fell in love with him, and he proposing marriage, she accepted. She was under age, and finding it impossible in consequence to get a marriage license, they began living together as man and wife. Last Saturday the girl's parents caused the arrest of Bentley for running their daughter.

At the hearing before Justice Knorr at Berwick, Miss Baker and her dusky lover announced that they were willing and anxious to get married then and there, but the girl's mother vigorously objected, declaring that she would rather see her daughter in the grave than the wife of a "darky." Young Bentley was then committed to jail. The prisoner's counsel says he will have him brought up on a writ of habeas corpus to test whether there exists any law that can prevent two young people from getting married and legitimatizing a child.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Warrants Issued for the Wandering Jew—Broker Cox' Bail Increased.

TORONTO, Sept. 6.—The development in Central Bank affairs yesterday was the issue of two warrants against Roland Israel Gideon Barnett, (the "Wandering Jew") on a charge of defrauding the bank out of some $10,000 before its collapse. Barnett was last heard of in London, Eng., on July 21.

It is whispered that an agreement has been arrived at between the city and the University authorities in reference to the Queen's park difficulty.

Broker Cox was in the Police Court yesterday to answer the second charge against him. No evidence was offered, nor were the arrangements completed for his release on bail, which was increased on the new charge by $16,000, himself in $8000 and two sureties in $4000 each. He comes up again to-morrow.

A Bull Movement in Trunk Stocks.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—A somewhat marked bull movement in Trunk stocks took place this week. Preferences were 2½ higher on the week.

LATEST SPORTING NEWS.

Riflemen at Ottawa—Oarsmen at Home and Abroad—Lacrosse and Baseball.

OTTAWA, Sept. 6.—The best scores in yesterday's matches were: Minister of Militia Match—Teams—The challenge cup and $45, 43rd Batt. Rifle Assn., 175; $36, Q. O. R. Assn., 172; $30, 43rd Batt. R. A., 171. Individual—$30, Capt. Sherwood, 43rd, 66; $25, Gunr. Logie, N. F. B., 64; $20, Lieut. Macfarland, 56th, 63. Standing Match—$30, Staff-Sergt. Mitchell, R. G., 32; $15, Maj. Weston, 66th, 31. Staff-Sergt. Mitchell, R. G., leads in the grand aggregate with 216, Pte. Armstrong, Guards, being well up with 212 and Pte. McVittie third with 210.

Teemer Finishes In Front.

HAMMONDSPORT, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Several thousand people swarmed in the village yesterday to witness the rowing contest in which Teemer, Hamm and Ten Eyck took part. Teemer won in 20.10, Hamm a good second.

The Toronto Man Beaten.

ORILLIA, Sept. 6.—The amateur boat race between Colon Ralston of Orillia and James Rice of Toronto, which was rowed here yesterday, resulted in a victory for the Orillia man by five feet. Time 10.21.

Lacrosse Points.

At Bright yesterday, for the Western District championship, Stratford defeated the home team by three games to none.

The Brants of Paris defeated the Athletics of St. Catharines at the former place yesterday by four games to none in 10, 6, 6 and 10 minutes respectively.

He Was Sick.

Had a far away look in his eyes, predicted all sorts of evil, short crops, low prices, a new rebellion in the North West. His skin was yellow, and a fever spot on each of his cheeks told of a torpid fever and poisoned blood. A box of Hamilton's Mandrake and Butternut Pills worked a wondrous change, for through their stimulating action on the liver, all poisonous germs were removed from the true river of life—the blood. Crop prospects improved, prices were away up, and life at once became filled with new prospects and pleasures. Try Hamilton Pills at druggists and dealers in medicine.

Seven evicted tenants have brought a suit against the Vandeleur estate to recover their holdings, on the ground that they were illegally ejected.

THE MONTREAL BUCKET SHOPS.

Warrants Against Paquette and Hanrahan & Co. Issued Yesterday.

MONTREAL, Sept. 6.—The war against the bucket shops, so long impending, seems at last to have come to a crisis here. Two warrants were issued yesterday by Judge Desnoyers, one against J. C. Paquette and the other against Hanrahan & Co. The warrants accuse Paquette and Hanrahan of keeping a bucket shop, contrary to statute, and empowering all police officers to raid their premises. The information was laid by a citizen who claims to have been swindled at one of the establishments.

The lifeless body of Narcisse Dagenais, a quarryman employed at Vallieres quarry at Cote St. Louis, was found in another quarry at 6.30 yesterday morning. He is supposed to have fallen into the quarry, which is 28 feet deep, at a late hour while crossing an embankment on his way home. Dagenais was 57 years of age and has been employed at Vallieres quarry for 30 years.

In the Court of Queen's Bench yesterday Edmund Berard was found guilty of neglecting to provide for his wife and family. Sentence, however, was suspended on his promise of paying $5 weekly to his wife and to discontinue drinking.

The Committee of Investigation appointed by Temple Emmanuel to investigate the charges brought by Mrs. Schynman against Rabbi Marks of improprieties has concluded its labors and prepared a report which says that after examining witnesses and hearing the denial of the reverend gentleman and [illegible] charge made is not proved and he is [illegible] therefrom.

A young son of Mr. Dupuy, seed merchant of this city, who was on a shooting expedition on the Upper Gatineau with a friend, was accidentally shot in the back by his comrade and is not expected to live.

The city detectives have been busily engaged trying to find S. O. Dupree, cashier of the Lyons Bank of Lyons, Kan., who is supposed to have left Lyons with some $100,000 of the bank's funds and directed his course towards Montreal.

HE TOOK FRENCH LEAVE.

A New Edinboro Parson Disappoints His Expectant Bride at the Altar.

OTTAWA, Sept. 6.—The little village of New Edinburgh is in a high state of excitement over the sudden collapse of a wedding which was to have taken place in St. Bartholomew's Church last evening between Rev. Marc Ami, Pastor of the French Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. Graburn, widow of the late Captain Graburn of the Marine Department.

The engagement of the couple, both of whom are well on in middle life, was announced some time ago and was strongly opposed by the friends of the clergyman, who, for a while, resisted the pressure, but it is said that when he was officially informed that his marriage would not only result in his losing his living here, but in his being expelled from the Presbyterian Church he gave in and one of last evening's papers announced that he has left on a visit to France.

This, however, does not appear to have been known to the bride and her friends who assembled at the church, and great indignation was expressed when it was found that the prospective groom had changed his mind at the last minute. Legal proceedings are spoken of.

HER LIFE FOR HER CHILDREN.

Mrs. Grant's Terrible Death at Winnipeg—An Embezzling Canvasser.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 6.—Mrs. Grant who was badly burnt Tuesday night, died yesterday morning. She sacrificed herself to save her sleeping children whom she awoke and took to a place of safety while her own clothes were burning. The youngest child narrowly escaped sharing her terrible fate.

A temperance convention is to be held at Regina to protest against the concessions recently made and proposed to the liquor traffic.

The contract for grading the Red River Valley Railway into the city was let yesterday to J. D. MacArthur, to be completed in a week.

Mayor Lewis, a well known politician, has skipped the country to avoid arrest on a charge of embezzlement made by The Sun newspaper for which he was canvassing.

There was a suicide in Woodlands yesterday, but no particulars have been received.

A Chicago Workman's Terrible Fate.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Louis Larsen, a workman for Crane Brothers, yesterday crawled into an iron cylinder used for the piston of a hydraulic elevator to clean it. He took with him a lighted candle and built a fire of benzine. In a short time the cylinder was filled with inflammable gas. An explosion followed and the man was enveloped in flames which filled the entire cylinder. The workmen were attracted to the spot by his cries but it was impossible to get at him, and enough water could not be at once procured to quench the flames. His companions were therefore compelled to stand helpless and listen to the burning man's cries until they were stilled by death.

Pitched Through a Railway Bridge.

PORT ARTHUR, Sept. 6.—Two miles west of Middleton, a loaded freight car jumped the track as the train was approaching a trestle bridge near that place. The bridge is 40 feet high and the car struck it with such force as to break it down, thereby allowing a couple of cars, as well as the caboose to pitch into the gulf below. Conductor Peacock was seriously hurt externally by going through the bridge. He was brought here and grave doubts are entertained of his recovery. The collapse of the bridge caused a delay of traffic for some hours.

An Italian Knife Stabber.

PORT ARTHUR, Sept. 6.—An ugly fight took place between a couple of Italians on the Fort William road, near the west angle, ending in a stabbing affray. Jas. Ross and Calabere De Ross, both Italians, were seen by Ed. West at the place mentioned, fighting desperately. All at once Ross pulled a large knife and gave his opponent a fearful stab in the forehead, inflicting a horrible gash. De Ross fell down and Ross continued to stab him, cutting both his hands in a horrible manner. West sprang to the rescue and pulled off the cowardly villain. Ross was subsequently arrested.

Proposed Ship Canal in England.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The provisional committee appointed to enquire into the advisability of building a ship canal between Liverpool and Birmingham, has made a report favoring the project and recommending that immediate steps be taken to obtain from Parliament the necessary power.

Two Highwaymen.

MONTREAL, Sept. 6.—Joseph Pesant and Jacques Vaillancourt were charged at the Police Court yesterday with highway robbery. It was alleged that they knocked a man down and stole his silver watch. The watch was found on Pesant. They were committed to the Court of Queen's Bench.

Great big bargains in summer goods at Lambert & Walsh's.