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CANADA. OTTAWA. Special Dispatch to The Chicago Tribune. OTTAWA, Oct. 6.—The Marine and Fisheries Department, it is understood, have in contemplation measures for the restoration of the fisheries of the St. Lawrence with salmon of New Brunswick and Prince Edward. Similar work has been done by the French Government with the most satisfactory results.

Mr. Scott, Member of Parliament for Winnipeg, had an interview with Sir John A. Macdonald in relation to the sale of Dominion lands advertised the 19th inst., at Winnipeg. It will be remembered the sale was postponed for a month. Mr. Scott on behalf of the restaurateur of the lands, had a conversation with the Minister of the Government on the subject, and instead of a reasonable price on the lands which they will willingly pay. He states that many of the titles affected have been in possession of the property for years, and have made valuable improvements. They are in every sense of the word bona fide settlers, and it is his opinion that they should be treated as such by the Government.

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FROST. RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 6.—The frost last night was very general throughout the State, and did incalculable damage, especially to the tobacco crop. At least one-half of the standing crop has been destroyed; in some counties the condition is even worse. But little of the crop has been cut and packed. One farmer is reported as losing 80,000 pounds, while the loss of others is estimated at what would fill fifty barrels.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 6.—Telegrams from Northern South Carolina report frost last night, and another expected tonight. The late growth of cotton will be destroyed. Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 6.—The tobacco crop in this section is reported badly injured by the first frost last night.

HEAVY HAINS. LAS VEGAS, N. M., Oct. 6.—The heavy rains of yesterday and last night greatly damaged the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, and traffic south of here is indefinitely suspended. In the Rio Grande and the San Juan Valleys, there are reports of heavy rains in many places, the road-bed is covered with great piles of sand. Rain is falling heavily tonight.

VENOUS GUESSES. MONTREAL, Oct. 3.—To the Editor of the New York Times: A general storm period of severity is probable about the 15th and 16th of the present month in the southern and western sections of the United States. It is believed that a violent storm will sweep over the province of Canada. Winter weather in Newfoundland. HENRY G. VENDOR.

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For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, fair weather, except local rains in the northern portion, southerly winds, lower barometer, and stationary or higher temperature. For the Lake region, partly cloudy weather, and rain, southerly winds, lower barometer, and stationary or higher temperature.

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LOCAL OBSERVATIONS. CHICAGO, Oct. 6.—10:35 a. m. Time. Bar. Therm. Wind. Precip. Clouds. 10:35 a. m. 30.25 65 4 W. 0.00 2 10:45 a. m. 30.26 66 4 W. 0.00 2 11:00 a. m. 30.27 67 4 W. 0.00 2 11:15 a. m. 30.28 68 4 W. 0.00 2 11:30 a. m. 30.29 69 4 W. 0.00 2 11:45 a. m. 30.30 70 4 W. 0.00 2 12:00 p. m. 30.31 71 4 W. 0.00 2 12:15 p. m. 30.32 72 4 W. 0.00 2 12:30 p. m. 30.33 73 4 W. 0.00 2 12:45 p. m. 30.34 74 4 W. 0.00 2 1:00 p. m. 30.35 75 4 W. 0.00 2 1:15 p. m. 30.36 76 4 W. 0.00 2 1:30 p. m. 30.37 77 4 W. 0.00 2 1:45 p. m. 30.38 78 4 W. 0.00 2 2:00 p. m. 30.39 79 4 W. 0.00 2 2:15 p. m. 30.40 80 4 W. 0.00 2 2:30 p. m. 30.41 81 4 W. 0.00 2 2:45 p. m. 30.42 82 4 W. 0.00 2 3:00 p. m. 30.43 83 4 W. 0.00 2 3:15 p. m. 30.44 84 4 W. 0.00 2 3:30 p. m. 30.45 85 4 W. 0.00 2 3:45 p. m. 30.46 86 4 W. 0.00 2 4:00 p. m. 30.47 87 4 W. 0.00 2 4:15 p. m. 30.48 88 4 W. 0.00 2 4:30 p. m. 30.49 89 4 W. 0.00 2 4:45 p. m. 30.50 90 4 W. 0.00 2 5:00 p. m. 30.51 91 4 W. 0.00 2 5:15 p. m. 30.52 92 4 W. 0.00 2 5:30 p. m. 30.53 93 4 W. 0.00 2 5:45 p. m. 30.54 94 4 W. 0.00 2 6:00 p. m. 30.55 95 4 W. 0.00 2 6:15 p. m. 30.56 96 4 W. 0.00 2 6:30 p. m. 30.57 97 4 W. 0.00 2 6:45 p. m. 30.58 98 4 W. 0.00 2 7:00 p. m. 30.59 99 4 W. 0.00 2 7:15 p. m. 31.00 100 4 W. 0.00 2 7:30 p. m. 31.01 101 4 W. 0.00 2 7:45 p. m. 31.02 102 4 W. 0.00 2 8:00 p. m. 31.03 103 4 W. 0.00 2 8:15 p. m. 31.04 104 4 W. 0.00 2 8:30 p. m. 31.05 105 4 W. 0.00 2 8:45 p. m. 31.06 106 4 W. 0.00 2 9:00 p. m. 31.07 107 4 W. 0.00 2 9:15 p. m. 31.08 108 4 W. 0.00 2 9:30 p. m. 31.09 109 4 W. 0.00 2 9:45 p. m. 31.10 110 4 W. 0.00 2 10:00 p. m. 31.11 111 4 W. 0.00 2 10:15 p. m. 31.12 112 4 W. 0.00 2 10:30 p. m. 31.13 113 4 W. 0.00 2 10:45 p. m. 31.14 114 4 W. 0.00 2 11:00 p. m. 31.15 115 4 W. 0.00 2 11:15 p. m. 31.16 116 4 W. 0.00 2 11:30 p. m. 31.17 117 4 W. 0.00 2 11:45 p. m. 31.18 118 4 W. 0.00 2 12:00 a. m. 31.19 119 4 W. 0.00 2 12:15 a. m. 31.20 120 4 W. 0.00 2 12:30 a. m. 31.21 121 4 W. 0.00 2 12:45 a. m. 31.22 122 4 W. 0.00 2 1:00 a. m. 31.23 123 4 W. 0.00 2 1:15 a. m. 31.24 124 4 W. 0.00 2 1:30 a. m. 31.25 125 4 W. 0.00 2 1:45 a. m. 31.26 126 4 W. 0.00 2 2:00 a. m. 31.27 127 4 W. 0.00 2 2:15 a. m. 31.28 128 4 W. 0.00 2 2:30 a. m. 31.29 129 4 W. 0.00 2 2:45 a. m. 31.30 130 4 W. 0.00 2 3:00 a. m. 31.31 131 4 W. 0.00 2 3:15 a. m. 31.32 132 4 W. 0.00 2 3:30 a. m. 31.33 133 4 W. 0.00 2 3:45 a. m. 31.34 134 4 W. 0.00 2 4:00 a. m. 31.35 135 4 W. 0.00 2 4:15 a. m. 31.36 136 4 W. 0.00 2 4:30 a. m. 31.37 137 4 W. 0.00 2 4:45 a. m. 31.38 138 4 W. 0.00 2 5:0