

News Summary.

Lord Rosebery's new book "Napoleon" was published in London, yesterday.

Eight of the ringleaders in the Valley-feld disturbances have been imprisoned at Quebec.

Mr. John Charlton is elected by acclamation in North Norfolk, Mr. Ross having withdrawn.

Mr. Thomas Taylor, Conservative, was elected to the Manitoba Legislature for Centre Winnipeg.

In the ten months ending Oct. 31 the metal mining companies in the United States paid a total of \$42,568,071 in dividends.

Non. John Costigan is elected by acclamation in Victoria, N. B., the Conservative nominee, Mr. Richards, withdrawing.

Herbert Spencer, the great English philosopher, is completing his autobiography. The work will not be published until after his death.

A sudden strong gust of wind blew down and partially demolished a building at London, Ont., and Wesley Wilkinson, a young man, was buried in the ruins, receiving injuries which resulted in death.

Workmen engaged in making improvements at Harvey Park, Hamilton, found a quantity of silver plate, about eighteen inches below the ground surface. It is supposed to have been buried by thieves.

The reported appointment of Lord Lansdowne as Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, is officially confirmed. Other important changes in the British Cabinet have been approved of by the Queen.

Mr. John Redmond says that, as the trustees of the Parnell fund cannot purchase Avondale, the estate of the late Charles Stewart Parnell, which was purchased by Mr. Boylan the other day when sold at auction by the land judges court, they will devote the fund to the erection of a monument to Parnell in Dublin.

The New York police department has been investigating the list of persons reported missing in connection with the Tarrant fire, for the purpose of getting at a correct list of persons supposed to have lost their lives in the fire. The list as revised Friday afternoon shows eighteen persons reported missing and not accounted for.

For the quarter ending September 30 last the exports produce of Canada were \$53,145,241, as compared with \$44,361,309 for the same time last year. The month of September alone showed an increase in the exports of \$6,677,000. The imports for the three months show an increase in dutiable and free goods of \$4,036,730 over the same period of 1899.

The Steel Car Company of Pittsburg, has obtained an order for \$5,000,000 worth of rolling stock for South African railways. Belt & Company, one of the great South African mining corporations, asked for a bid on coal wagons, to be delivered to the mines at the earliest possible date, and the Pittsburg company was the successful bidder.

It is said in London and Paris that a business partnership has been formed between King Leopold and T. F. Walsh, a well known American. King Leopold becomes interested in Mr. Walsh's mines, while Mr. Walsh will take personal direction of King Leopold's Congo possessions, endeavoring to make the latter as profitable as Colorado.

The grand jury at Paterson, N. J., on Friday handed up twenty-four bills of indictment, and among them those of Walter C. McAllister, George J. Kerr, Wm. A. Death and Andrew Campbell, who are charged with the murder of Jennie Bosscheter, who was drugged to death on October 18th. There were two indictments against each one of the young men, one for murder and the other for criminal assault.

Officers Foster and Wolverton, of Woodstock, captured in a school room at Barney, Dunfries, early Saturday morning, the two men for whom they have been hunting for some days past and who are believed to be the persons who blew open the C. P. R. safe at Houlton and another one at Florenceville, and who attempted to crack still another one at Richmond, Carleton County. The names of the men are unknown.

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a despatch from Ichow, dated October 28, which says heavy fighting has occurred in the mountains on the Shan Si frontier. An Anglo-German force of 1,500 men, commanded by Col. Norman, stormed the Tching-Kung pass. The Chinese occupied a strong position on the crest and stubbornly resisted. They poured a hot, enflaming fire on the advanced party of eight Germans, under Major von Forester, but the British Bengal cavalry, dismounting, scaled the heights, turned the enemy's flank and relieved the Germans.



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The other day a picture of Rubens was discovered in an old picture-shop in London. An expert with keen eye went to the shop, and amid a heterogeneous mass of rubbish he detected, under the grime and soot and dust of years, a masterpiece of Rubens. Crushing down the quiver that came to his voice, in as calm a tone as he could command, he asked the picture dealer what he would take for this old bit of canvas. The picture dealer looked at it and said, "I will sell it to you for 30 shillings." The 30 shillings were paid and the purchaser took it home, got it cleaned and put right; and from out the grime and dust there shined today a £2,000 picture by Rubens. I tell you God can detect under the failings and fainting, the grime and dust of his weakest child's faith, the masterpiece of his Son. His likeness shines through your experience, and the Lord can read the facings of his own uniform. He never makes a mistake, and only in this uniform can he save you.—Selected.

The Intercolonial freight department announces that it has had one hundred and twenty thousand bushels of grain for export to Dublin and Glasgow offered them for export. It will be shipped in Head Line steamers. The department is negotiating for eighty thousand bushels of grain for shipment to Glasgow. This will be sent by the Donaldson Line.

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